

*Only When We Laugh*  
*Tesoro 1982*



MARSHALL

I DONT KNOW YOU VERY  
WELL BUT I DO KNOW YOUR  
A REAL SWEET PERSON. WEVE  
EATEN LUNCH TOGETHER MANY  
OF DAYS AND NEVER REALLY  
TALKED. MAYBE ITS BECAUSE  
you thought I was A MEANIE  
who knows but next year  
we will.

LOVE

Debbie

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MARSHALL  
SWIMMING WAS PRETTY  
FUN EVEN IF THE BOYS  
TEAM DIDNT DO TOO HOT. HAVE  
A GOOD SUMMER AND TRY TO STAY  
Kool.  
LATER  
Eric Williams







Marshall,  
 You're a really  
 Sweet guy. it's  
 just too bad I met  
 you at the end of the year.  
 Oh well we have, still, another  
 year to goof around! Please a  
 terrific summer, and keep in touch  
 See ya  
 See  
 #3

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Marshall -  
 (MARSHALL)  
 (MARSHALL)  
 Whatever,

Ha ha ha  
 Ouch

← he did that!

Marshall,  
 This year was a lot  
 of fun especially Spanish!  
 Everybody's favorite - yours + mine!  
 Right? Wrong! I'm so glad to get  
 out of that class. Well, we've had a  
 few good times this year and I  
 hope we have more over the summer  
 and next year.

Love,  
 Sharon

Marshall -  
 You're always a  
 real crack up - I  
 mean really. I'll  
 never forget the  
 many times at the  
 drive in when you  
 supposedly went  
 to the bath room.  
 Here's to the times  
 to come! Love,  
 A. Melane



# Only When We Laugh...



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# TESORO 1982



The expressions seemed to form with little effort. Exploring friendships, experiencing "good times," and participating in the years' activities provoked a renewed sense of pride among the individuals. The students recognized this evolution, and the expressionless became the animated, while the meek became the outspoken. The apathy of the past was recognizably fading and all of the characters became part of a unique "mass," full of humor, vitality, and enthusiasm. Students found the year innovative, exciting, and eventful and while the pressures of the high school become too much for some, we find that the pressures become bearable . . . "only when we laugh!"



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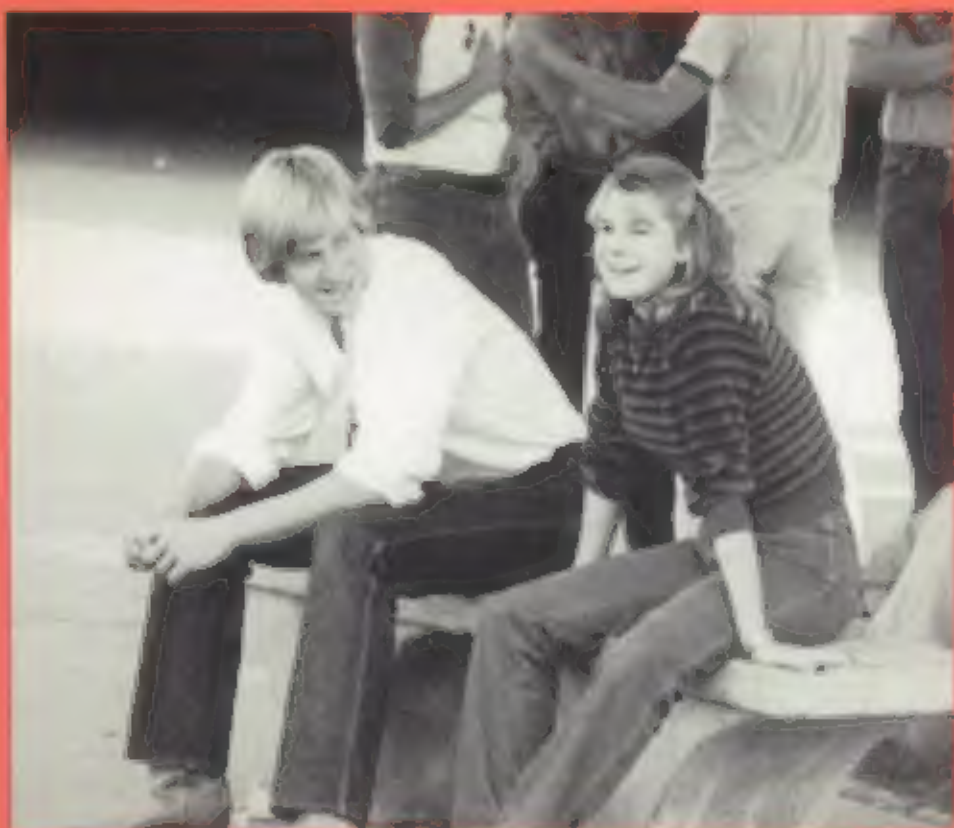
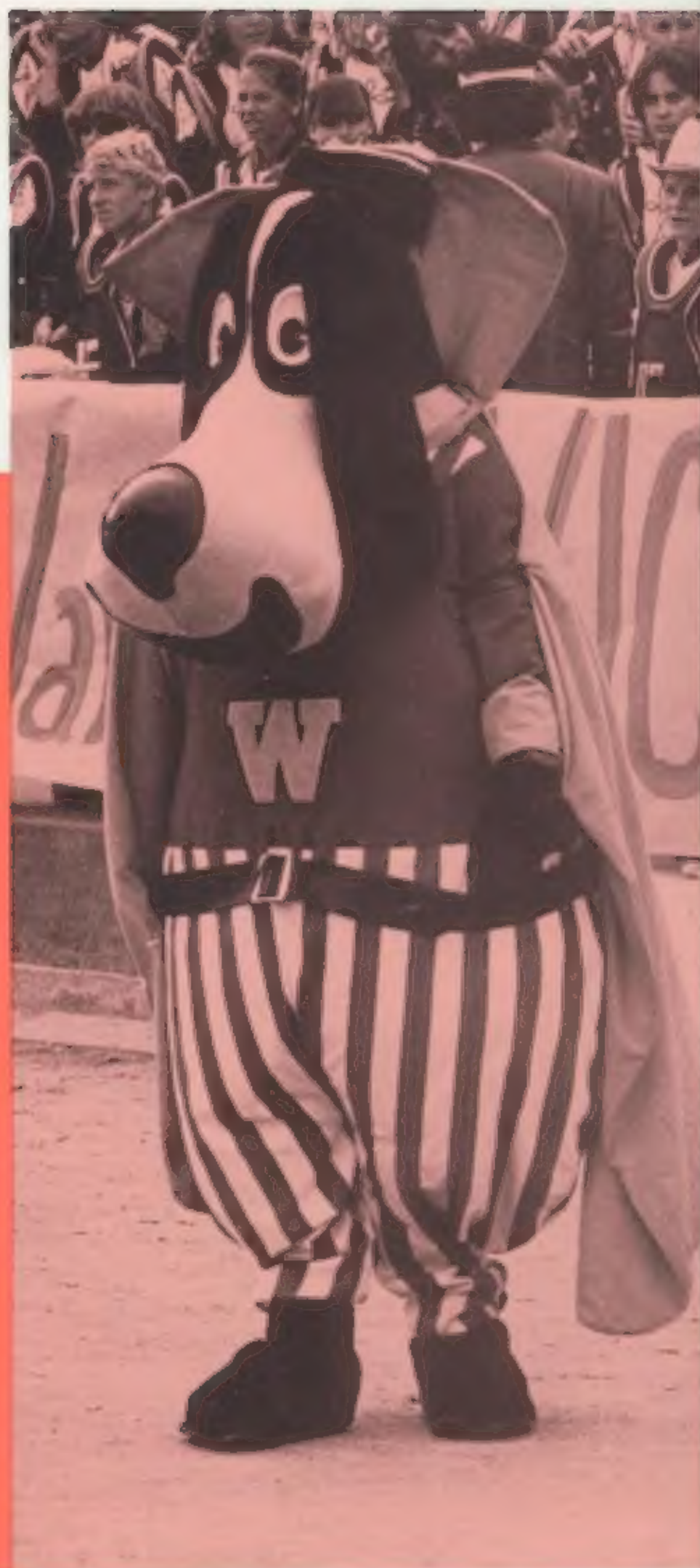
1. Sailors Lee Anne Wang, Debbie Gouker, and Alice Yang smile approvingly once "hitting port." 2. Theresa Marelich claims to be the oldest Rio senior. 3. The RA's flash their new western uniforms to the Homecoming crowd. 4. The Class of '82 prove that they still have the spirit to capture the rally awards. 5. Sophomore Kevin Johnson gets ready for some "heavy cream" action. 6. Julie Baryones is happy that she is a "River Rat!"



Is it in the gesture of the mouth which needs no words? The reflections of the smiles proves that the timid have become the intrepid and the listlessness of the past has been overshadowed by the comedy and vigor of the present. Originality and experimentation ran rampant during all of the school activities.



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1. Another contented Raider! 2. The Der Wiener Dog awaits the arrival of the Homecoming princesses. 3. Charles McKerras poses some interesting suggestions to Patty Haas. 4. CHUG! 5. Does this mean that it's all off for Saturday night? 6. Rio underclassmen wait in anticipation for something to cheer about.



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Individuality reigned supreme throughout the years' activities. With innovative routines, events, and outlooks, the students expressed their "freedom of choice" in acting exactly as they felt. Conformity was no longer a prerequisite for the student body, and the students quickly realized that they were the potential difference between the success or failure of their futures.



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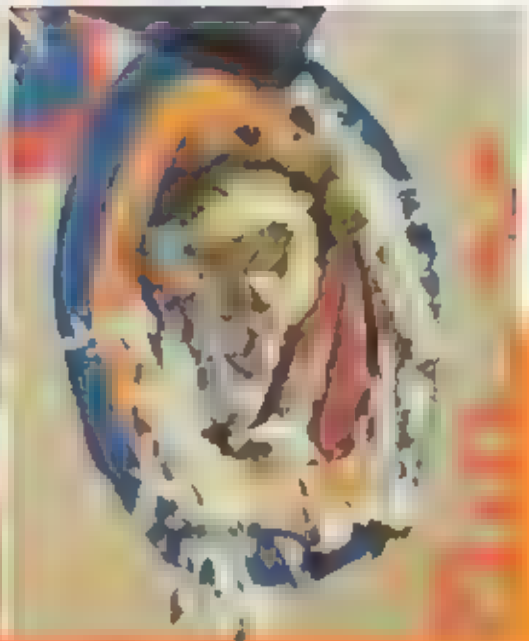
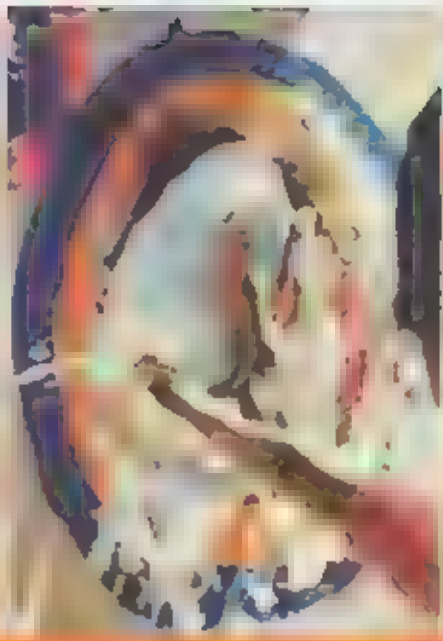
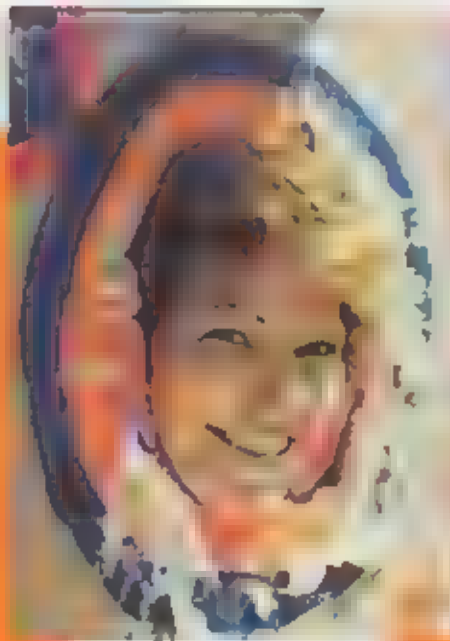
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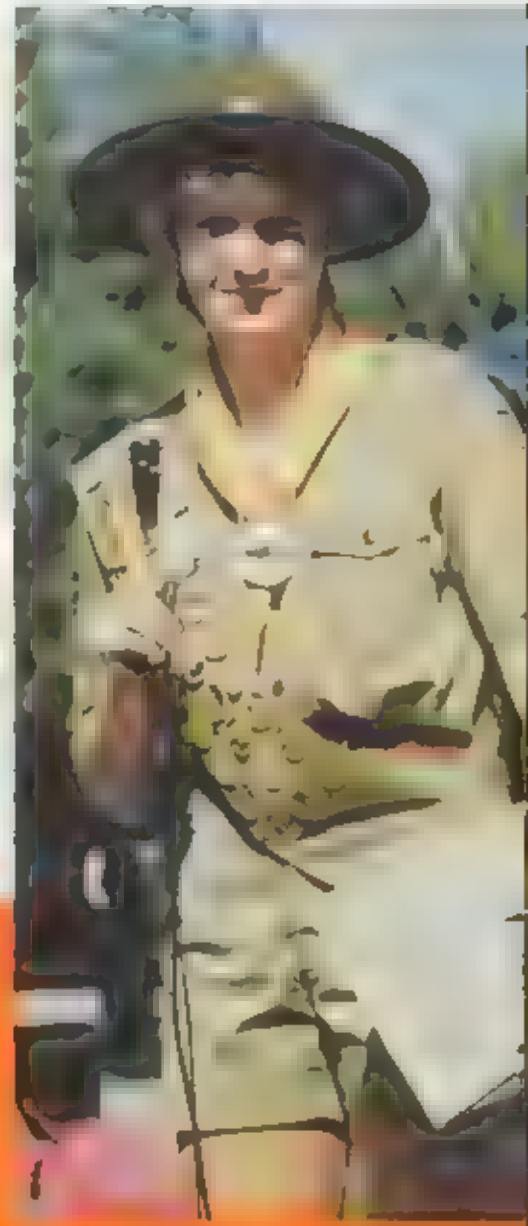
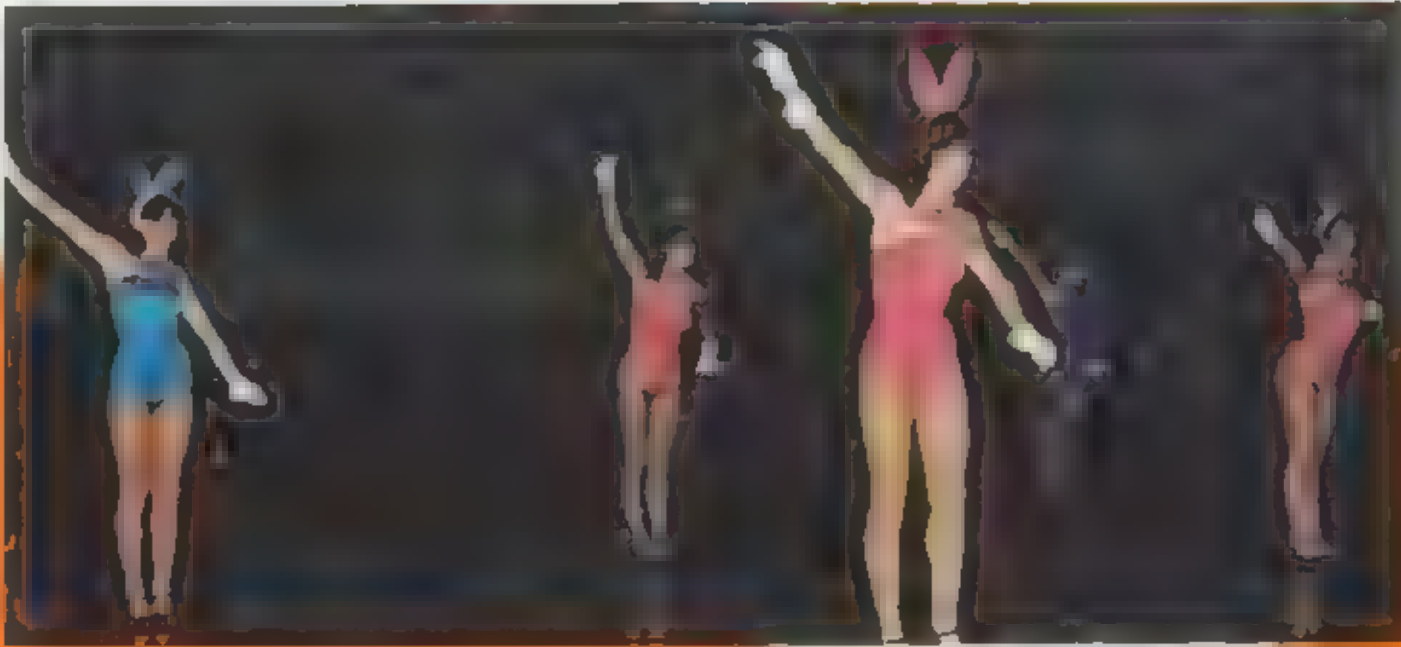
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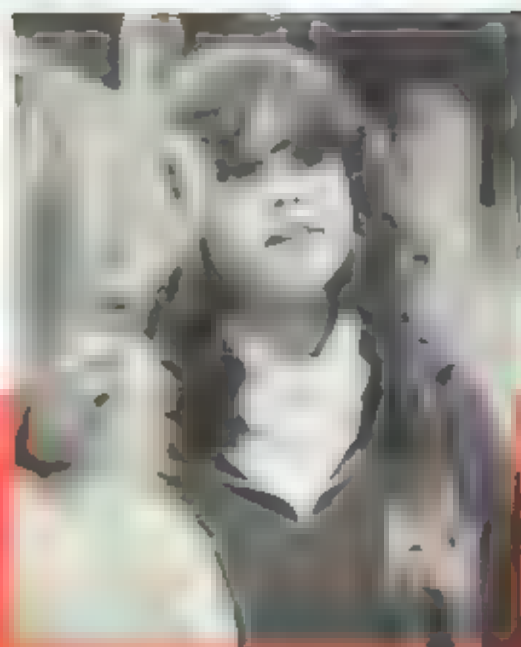


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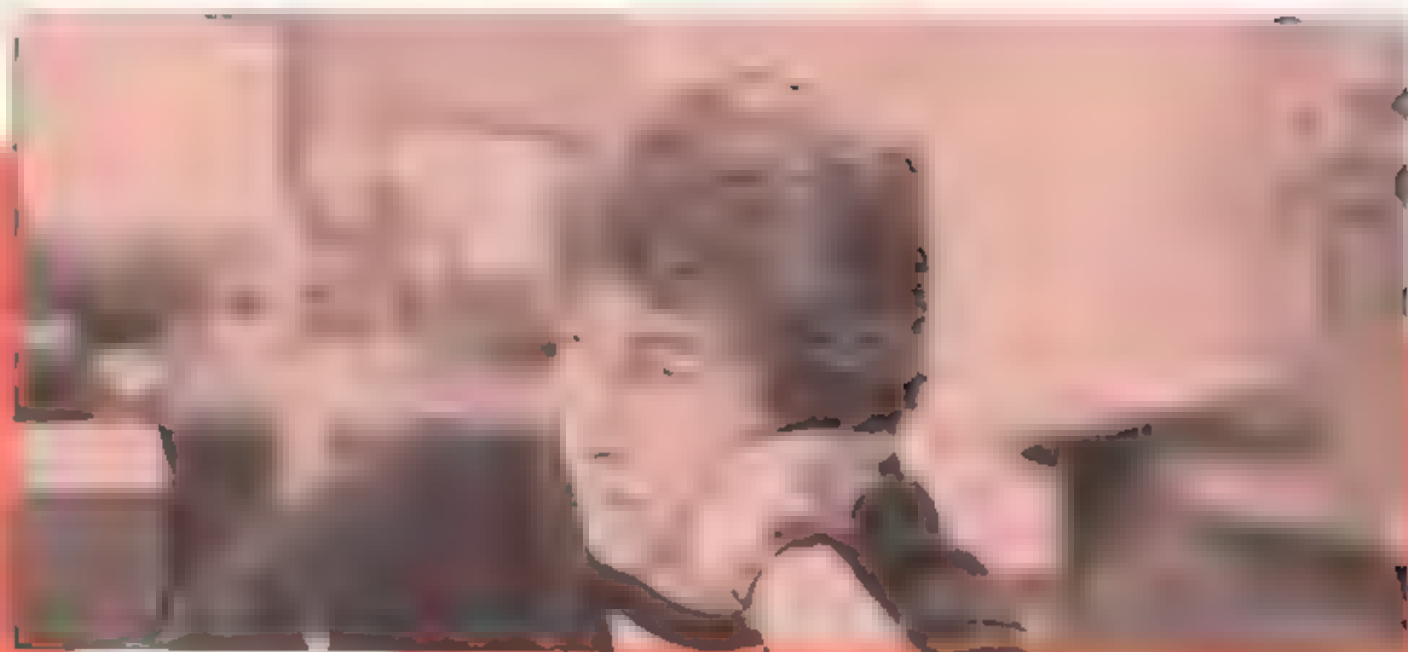




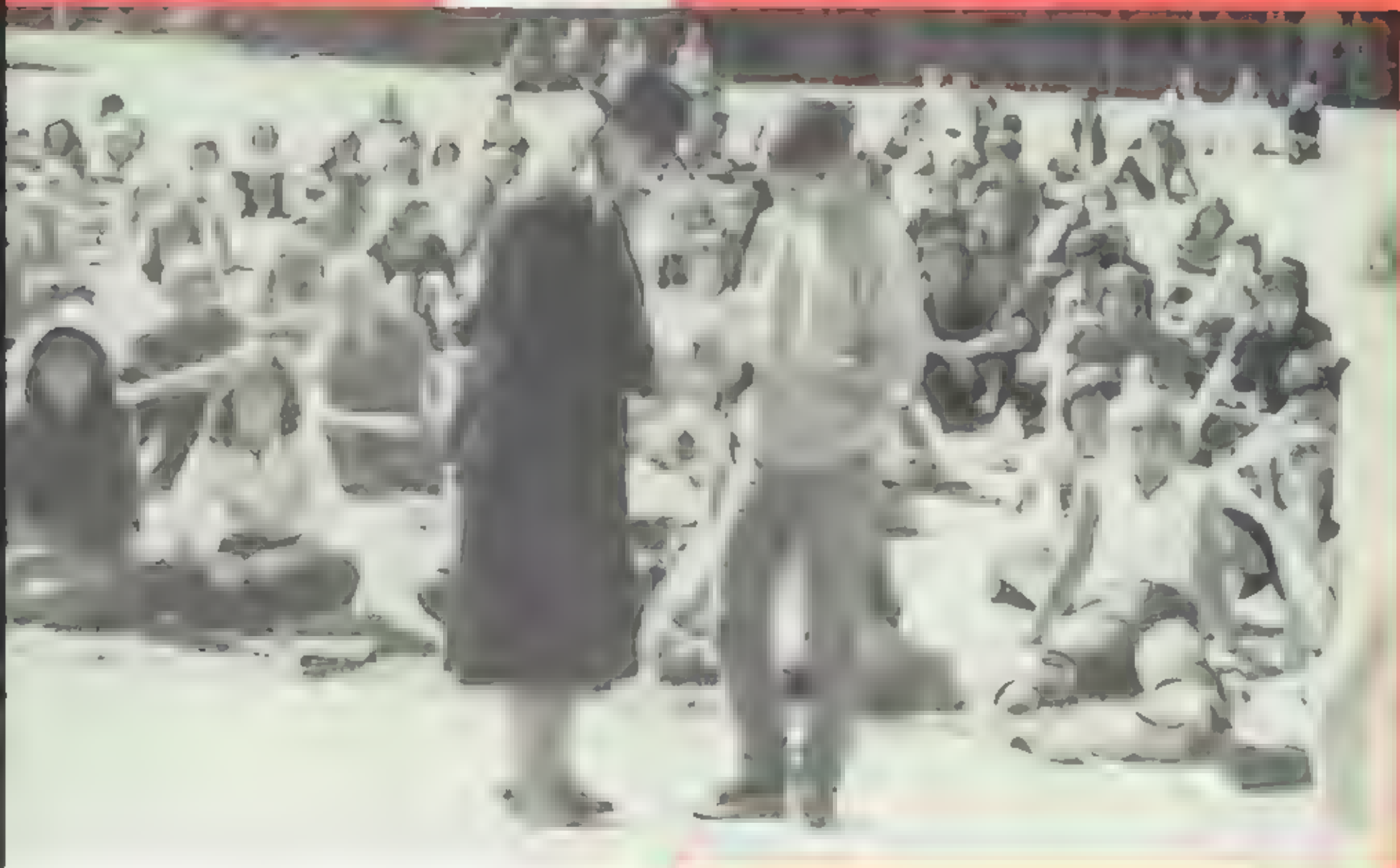
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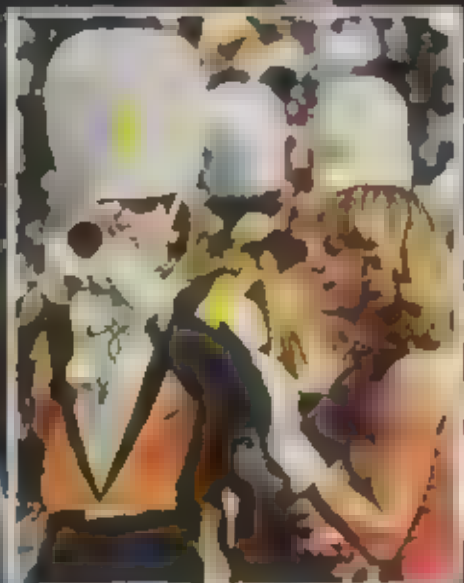




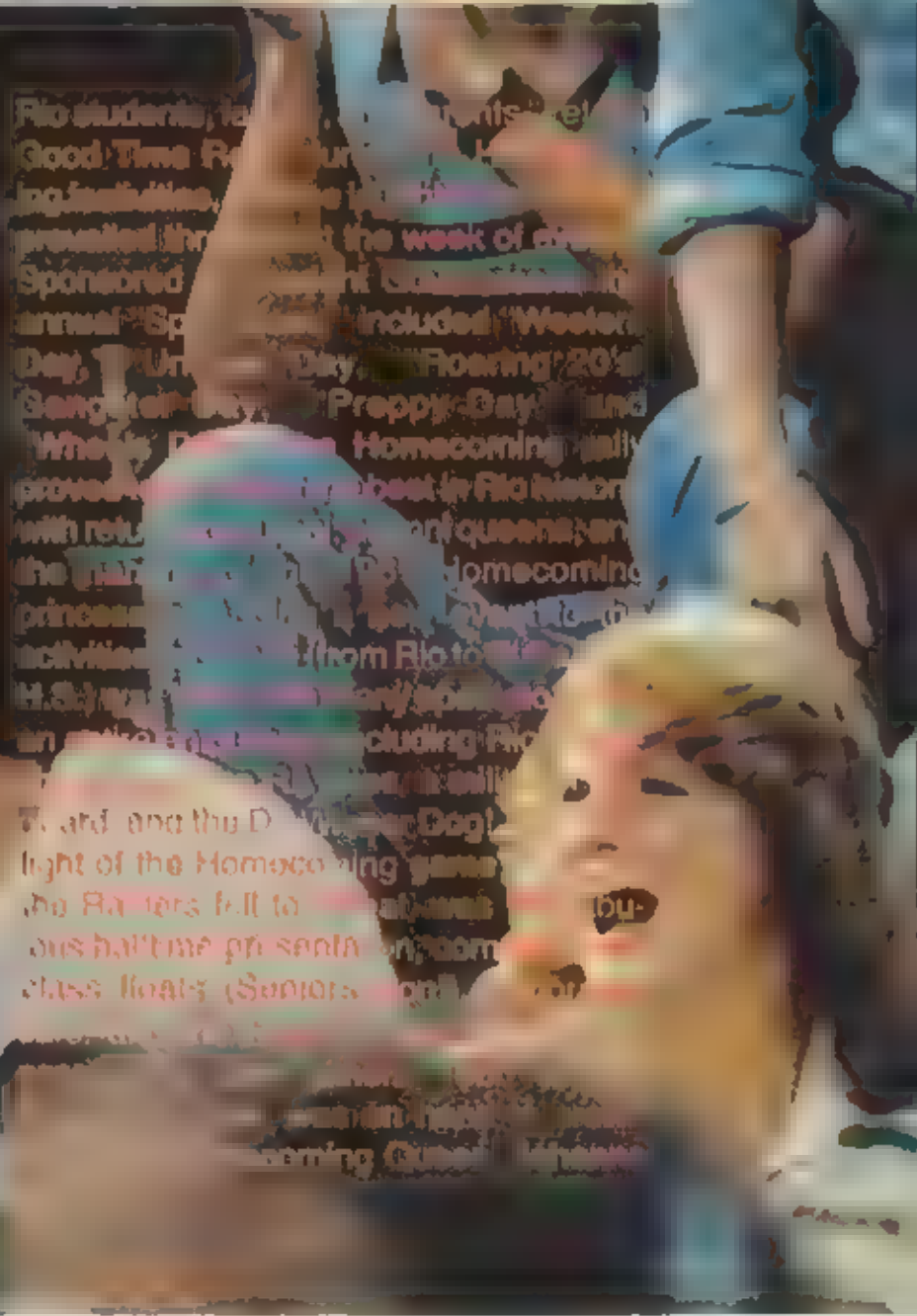
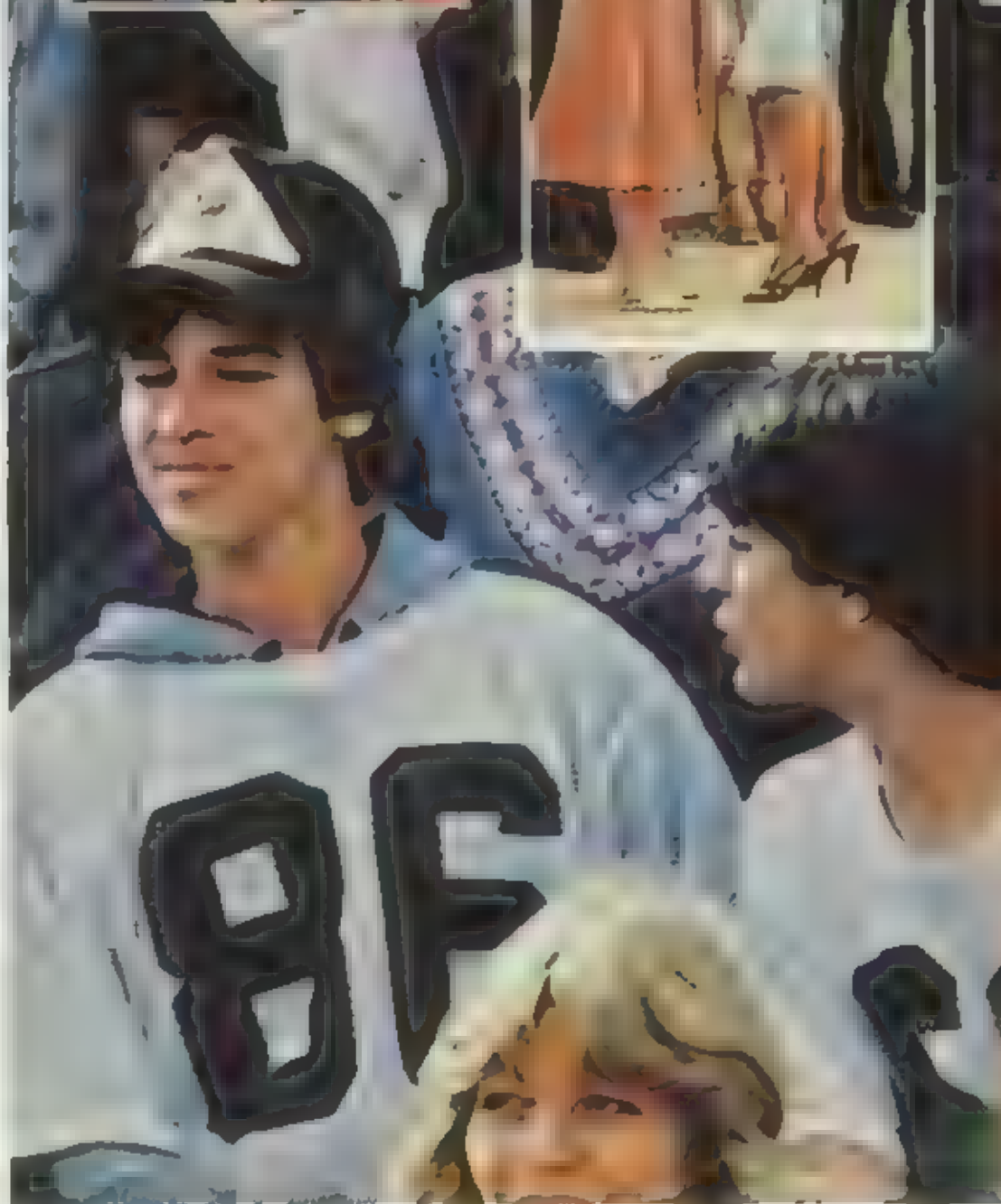
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Flo students, faculty and staff enjoyed a "Good Time" at the Homecoming dance. The event was held at the school gymnasium and was a great success. The week of Homecoming was sponsored by the Student Council and included "Western Day," "Unlucky Day," "Roaring 20's," "Gangster Day," "Preppy Day," and "Whole Day." The Homecoming rally proved to be the best in Flo history with returns from the homecoming queens and the cheerleaders. The Homecoming princess and prince were crowned. Activities included a parade from Flo to the H.S. gymnasium and a homecoming dance. The parade included Flo students, faculty, and staff. The dance was held at the school gymnasium and was a great success. The week of Homecoming was sponsored by the Student Council and included "Western Day," "Unlucky Day," "Roaring 20's," "Gangster Day," "Preppy Day," and "Whole Day." The Homecoming rally proved to be the best in Flo history with returns from the homecoming queens and the cheerleaders. The Homecoming princess and prince were crowned. Activities included a parade from Flo to the H.S. gymnasium and a homecoming dance. The parade included Flo students, faculty, and staff. The dance was held at the school gymnasium and was a great success.





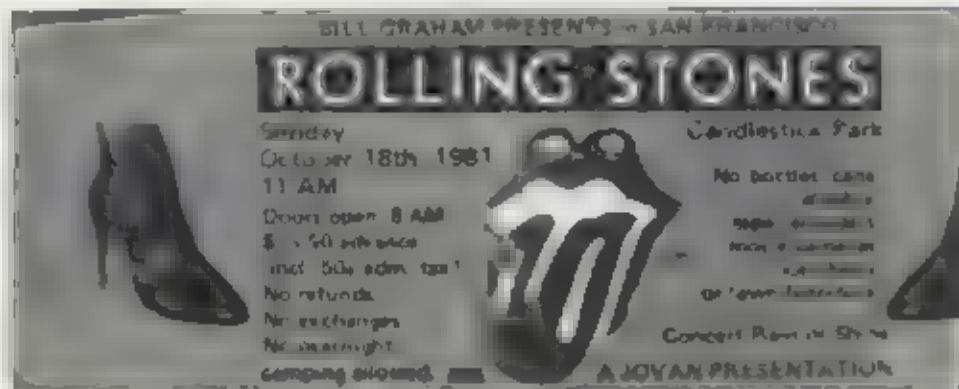
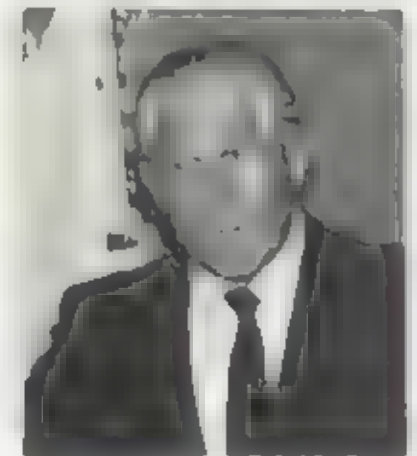




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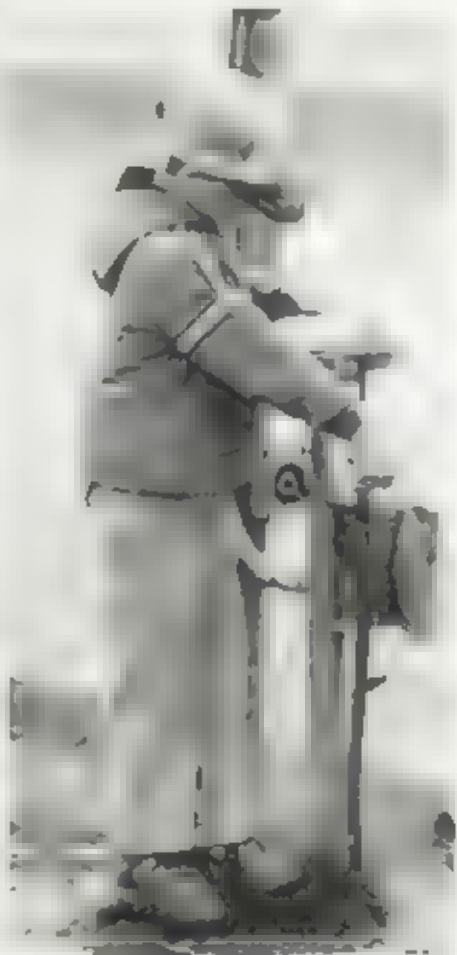
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"There is so much good in the worst of us, and so much bad in the best of us, that it hardly becomes any of us to talk about the rest of us."

"Special events" provided increased enjoyment for the students, helping the school to laugh at others, while laughing at ourselves. Some "non-athletic" teams such as the Academic Decathlon and Mock Trial brought acclaim to the student body, while a visit from George Romney and the foreign exchange students kept the students questioning. The students try desperately to make the year diverse (yet enjoyable) and this year certainly exemplified that fact.

"Mirror, mirror on the wall, I thought you said you had the answers to it all."



# SENIOR HOMECOMING PRINCESSES



Princess Suzanne Schmidt



Princess Kelly Hyers



Princess Sue Tierney



Princess Heidi Bertolf



FRESHMAN PRINCESS

LEANIE STACHELEK



SOPHOMORE PRINCESS

JEANIE FERRY



JUNIOR PRINCESS

BECKI SOMMERDORF



# FIRST PLACE



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# SECOND PLACE



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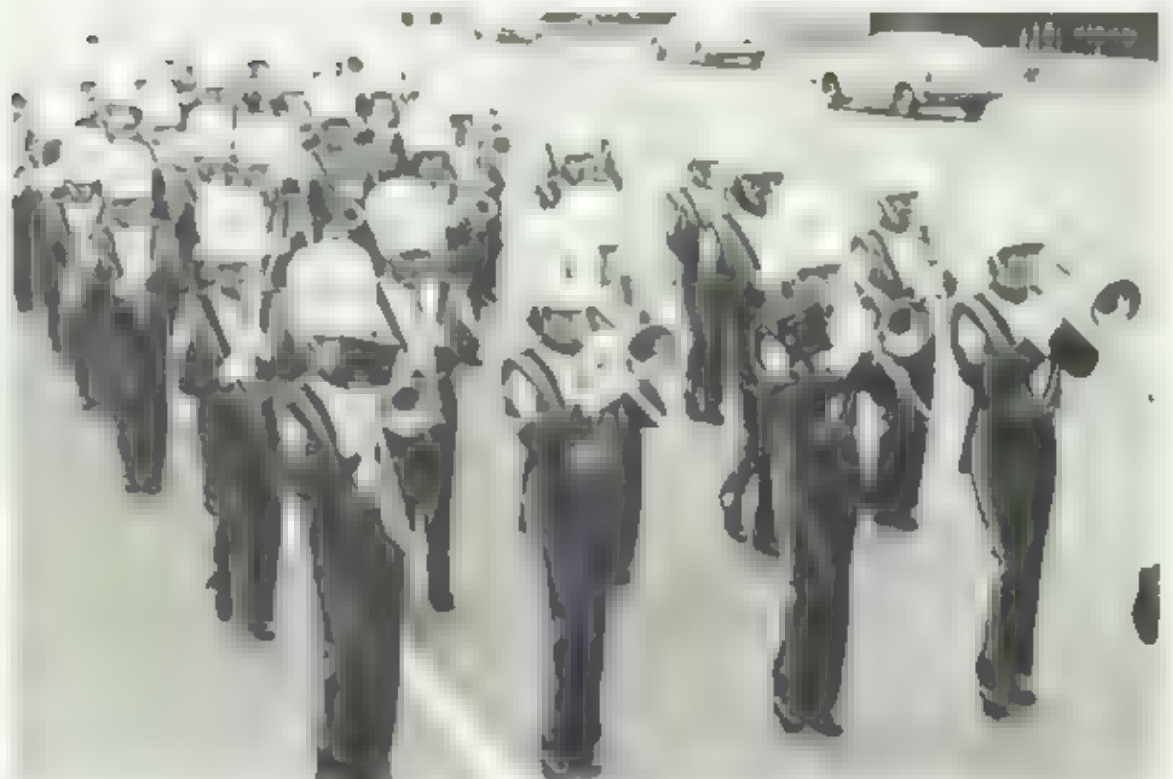
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1 Seniors' prize winning float 2 Bunnies Jane Robinson and Beth Phillips enjoy riding in the parade 3 Rio's award winning band strolls down Watt Avenue 4 Juniors capture second place with their "MG" 5 The Freshman capture third place with their "pair of dice" 6 The Junior bunnies cuddle during the parade 7 The RAettes march with style to the Homecoming game 8 The Class of '84 captures fourth place, while "rolling on the river"





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A new event was added to the Homecoming festivities this year. In an effort to attract more public participation in the activities, a parade from Rio to El Camino was organized. The parade, which included the eight Homecoming princesses, the 1980 Queen, Becki Steveson, the Rio Marching Band, the RAettes, four class floats, an army procession, and numerous decorated vehicles, was viewed by over a hundred well wishers, who lined Watt Avenue. The parade proved to be a highlight in the day of outstanding activities, and should prove to be a continuing event in the future.





1 Joyce Bacon studies in her hotel room in Los Angeles for the day's decathlon competition. 2. The Decathletes enjoy a day at the 1982 Tournament of Roses parade. Twinkle Argys and Alice Yang waiting for NBC to discover them. 3. The academic decathlon seal at the state competition in Whittier, CA. 4. Dennis Crowley answers a "Super Quiz" question. 5. Dennis stands proud as he receives his gold medal in physical and biological science.

## A CONTEST OF ACADEMIC STRENGTH



**FOR  
CALIFORNIA  
HIGH SCHOOL  
STUDENTS**

Once again, Rio proved it's superior intelligence by winning the Sacramento County Academic Decathlon competition, held November 21 at CSJS. Composed of Juniors and Seniors, Rio's six member team represented three categories reflecting the students GPA: varsity (C), scholastic (B), honor (A). Competing against 21 other local high schools from Sacramento County, Rio won by a remarkable 27 points, enabling them to compete in the statewide competition at Whittier College on December 29, where Rio placed 11th out of 25 teams.

The decathlon included written tests in English literature and grammar, fine arts, mathematics, physical and biological sciences, social science and career education. Students were also required to write an essay on a Shakespearean quote, give a four-minute prepared speech, a two-minute impromptu speech, and participate in an interview. The final competition was the "Super Quiz," which concentrated on the topic of energy.

For their efforts and accomplishment, each team member received a medal. The school was awarded a plaque and given the perpetual trophy. In addition to these awards, Rio walked away with 14 individual achievement awards, including seven gold, one silver, and six bronze. After the Decathletes return from the state competition, they represented a part of the students in the state by serving as honorary pages at the State Capitol rededication ceremonies on January 4th-9th. Congratulations to one of the best teams at Rio.

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1981 Champion Academic Decathlon Team: from left: Mickey Mouse, Joyce Bacon, Dave Cury, Alice Yang, Elaine Argys, Greg Pimstone (Alternate), Coach John Henderson, Dennis Crowley, Julie Matloff, Goofy.



1 Juniors and Seniors 'kick it out' during the earth ball competition 2. The Freshmen found out how difficult building a pyramid can be 3. Senior Captains Chns Kirk and Steve Oseveda lead their team in a victory walk 4 The Seniors link together before the start of the 'stand-up' event 5 Practice sometimes does not make perfect. 6 Izzy-dizzy is exactly what you become after this event. 7 The Seniors go wild after their class yell Inset "If only they could remain this way for more than a split second"



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Sports Spectacular was a huge success. Sponsored by Student Government and Mission Oaks Park and Recreation district, the 160 contestants ran, passed, ate, and tugged their way through the grueling 3½-hour contest. After the "flour" had cleared, the Seniors had become victorious. This marks the second 1st place finish for the Class of '82 (the other coming in 1979, as Freshmen.) The event raised over \$550 for the school and was believed to be the best-behaved, most-provitable, and most-entertaining edition in the 14 year history of the event. Sincere appreciation goes to team coaches Theresa Marelich, Chuck Gebhardt, Chris Gregory, Steve Rugiero, Sandy Mathias, John Polhemus, Marilyn McConnell, and Don Day



#### FINAL RESULTS

- 1st place — Class of '82
- 2nd Place — Class of '84
- 3rd Place — Class of '83
- 4th Place — Class of '85



'And he gave it for his opinion that whoever could make two ears of corn or two blades of grass to grow upon a spot of ground where only one grew before, would deserve better of mankind, and do more essential service to mankind than the whole race of politicians put together.'





It was an exciting year for the politically minded students at Rio Grande. George Romney, ex-governor and once presidential hopeful, made a public appearance to the school government classes. Mr. Romney delighted the students with his views on the economy, the draft, Reaganomics and the American society. He also shared his recollections from his years as a governor and as a member of the presidential cabinet. Mr. Romney proved once again that 'Old politicians never die, they just go on the lecture circuit.'





1982-83 Key Club Sweetheart nominees 1. Sophomore Stephanie Bouza escorted by Mike McCoy. 2. 1981-82 Key Club Sweetheart Michelle Frank escorted by Key Club President Sanjeev Kiplani. 3. Junior Lisa Phillips escorted by Eric Swanson. 4. Sophomore Jodi Franz, escorted by model Steve Kesmode. 5. Junior Becki Sommerdorf, escorted by Jeff Swanson. 6. Junior Madeline Faith, escorted by David Ranker. 7. Sophomore Leslie Meln escorted by John Fobes. 8. Junior Michelle McGanty escorted by Tony Coslanzo



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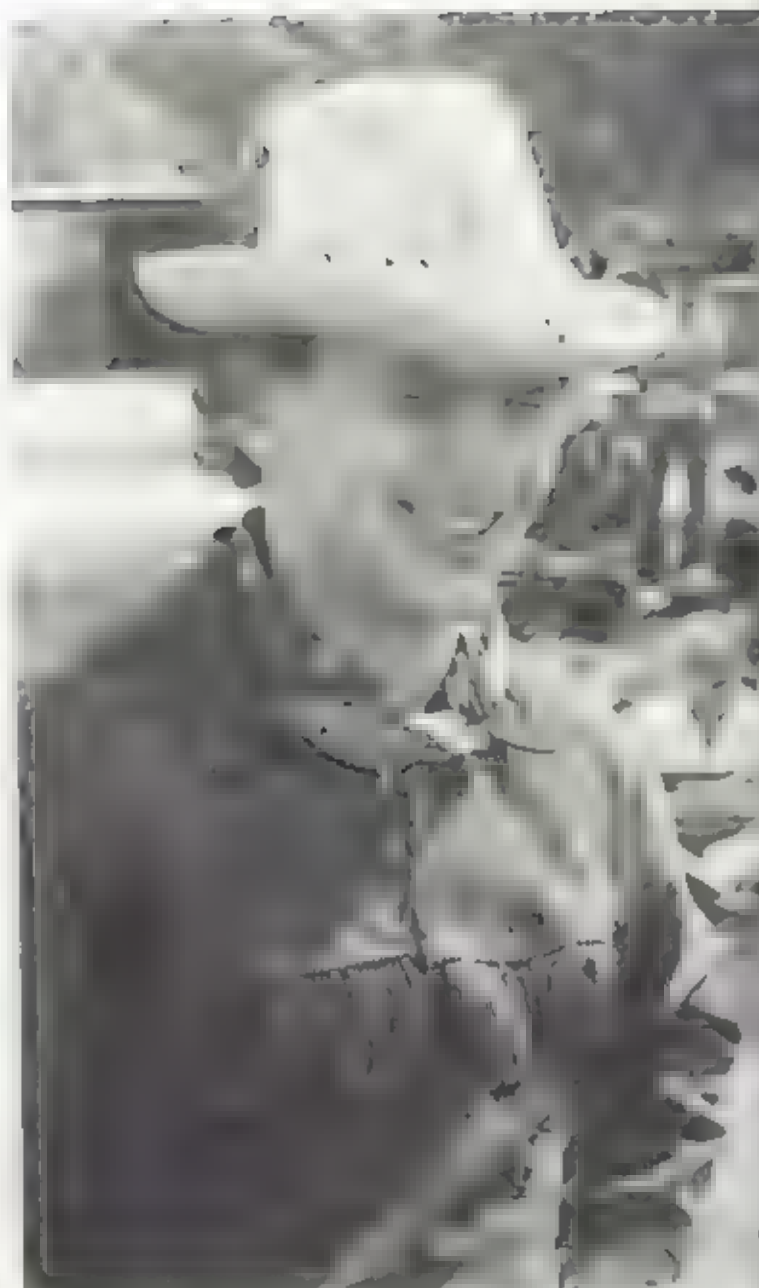
Disregarding a 17-year tradition at Rio, the boys of Key Club chose not to pick a junior as their 1982-83 Sweetheart Crowned by the 1981-82 Sweetheart Senior Michelle Frank, Sophomore Jeanni Ferry continued a legacy for the Ferry family (sister Patti was a sweetheart nominee in 1980 ) Chosen out of a field of four juniors and four sophomores, Jeanni outscored the others after a tedious and lengthy questioning session that included such brain testers as, "Who is the president of the United States?" "If you were a tube of toothpaste, would you be the top, the middle, or the bottom?" and "Recite the Pledge of Allegiance." Jeanni proved the most intelligent and beautiful of the bunch, and will serve as the representative for the club for the next year



*1982-83 Key Club Sweetheart Jeanni Ferry*



1 Gaeton shows his athletic form. 2. "Howdy, Cowboy!" 3 Kumie strikes a kinky pose. 4 Just pondering the future. 5. "Hey, is my hair alright?" 6. Friends for life! 7 Vania and Kumie kept a good watch over the campus



"I have a message for all of the Rio students: If you ever have the opportunity of living in another country — GO! Don't lose your chance, you are going to have a great experience"

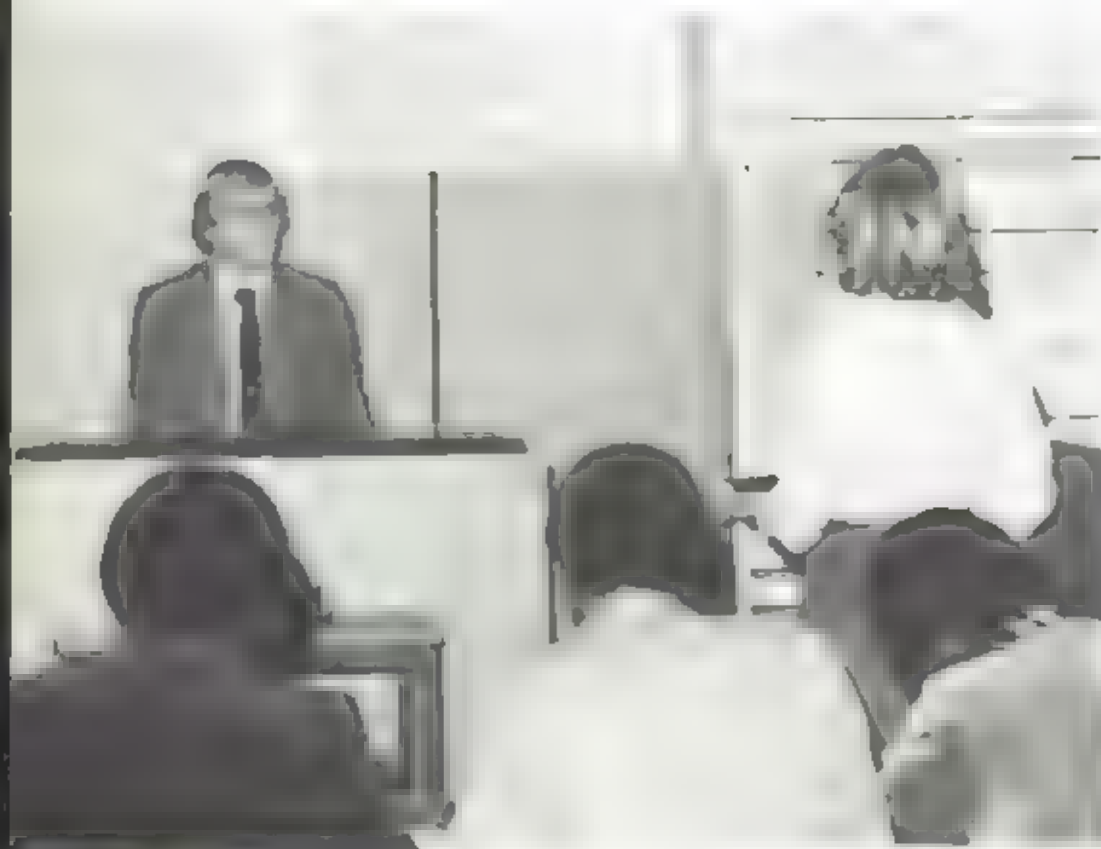
— Vania Barriga



Three students from foreign lands "rubbed arms" with Rio students during the 1981-82 school year. Vania Barnga (from Bolivia,) Gaeton Gorremons (from Belgium,) and Kumie Hirota (from Japan,) took the opportunity to leave their homes and families to experience the American culture. Vania and Kumie were active in Student Government, Vania ran on the track team, and Gaeton was a member of the varsity tennis team, participated in all of the school activities, and was active in public speaking. All of the students at Rio seemed to enjoy this mix of cultures and we wish Vania, Gaeton, and Kumie — all of the luck in the world for the future







1 Dave Johnson (Scott Wilson) explains his "attack" to the jury 2 The defendants await the verdict, as attorney Becky Endres reviews her "briefs," and Attorney Danielle Quisenberry "eyes" the judge 3 The Judge, Municipal Court Judge Darryl Lewis, watches the defendants after the verdict. 4. Judge Lewis awards the first-place certificates to the Rio team 5. Dannielle Quisenberry addresses the jury 6. Tom Miller (Scott Prentice) is sworn in during the trial

A jury had just found the r clients guilty of robbery and assault with a deadly weapon, but the three attorneys let out a loud scream, jumped up, and hugged each other. They were celebrating because Rio's team had just won the Third Annual Law-Related Education Conference Mock Trial competition. Rio's attorneys Becky Endres, Craig Simmons, and Dannelle Quisenberry were judged as having the best courtroom technique in the competition. The team, representing Sacramento County, participated in the California State Mock Trial competition and placed 3rd, losing only to Los Angeles County (the eventual winner). Rio's Moot Court team placed 12th (out of 20) in the other part of the day-long Sacramento competition.



Mock Trial Team (from left): Sue Clark, Tom Brondi, Dannelle Quisenberry, Scott Wilson, Craig Simmons, Coach Larry Kazan, and Becky Endres, Scott Prentice, Holly Bays, Denise Jurich, Jeff Margois, Coach Theresa Mareich, Martha Potoma. Not pictured: Diane Cassidy.



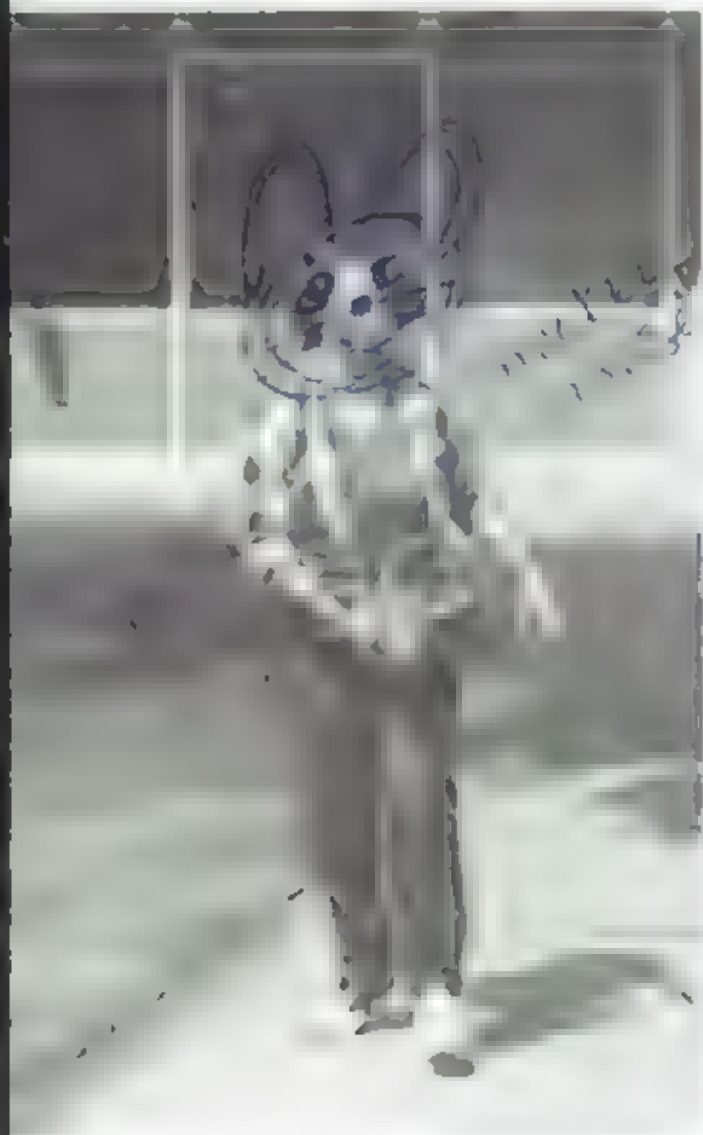
1. Lee Anne Wong tells a funny joke to the lunch crowd on the quad 2. "Oh, Mary, aren't we cute!" 3. John Bayless and Eric Swanson have found the perfect Sadie Hawkins dates — each other 4. Denise Jurich didn't get into the Western atmosphere during the week 5. "What's so funny, Rebecca?" 6 Ramona Frescas struts her stuff. 7. Susan Gray starts the race





Spring Week is a week of school toward the end of the year when the weather turns warm and the students like to dress in strange costumes and exhibit strange behavior. Spring Fever hits, and the days seem long, so the western atmosphere for Sadie Hawkins is usually lost at the beaches.

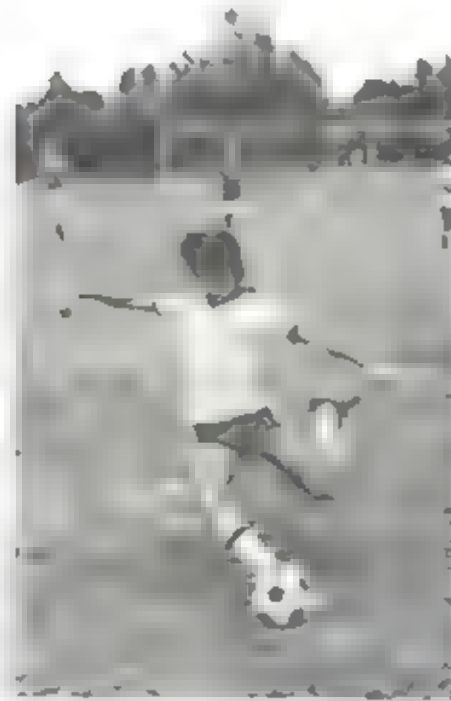
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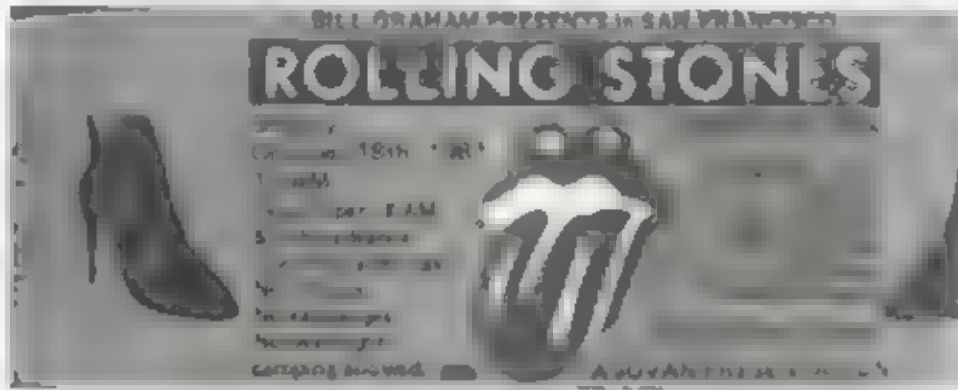


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"How often have I said to you that when you have eliminated the impossible, whatever remains, however improbable, must be the truth."

Within this section, we have incorporated faculty paragraphs about "What makes them laugh at Rio?" After hearing constant pleas from teachers for years about "deadlines and commitments," it seems ironic to us that many teachers are really examples of what they warned us not to be. With each "pull and tug" we have finally succeeded in accurately portraying Rio's faculty as individuals, complete with a sense of understanding and humor.

"I should have more faith; I ought to know by this time that when a fact appears opposed to a long train of deductions it invariably proves to be capable of bearing some other interpretation."



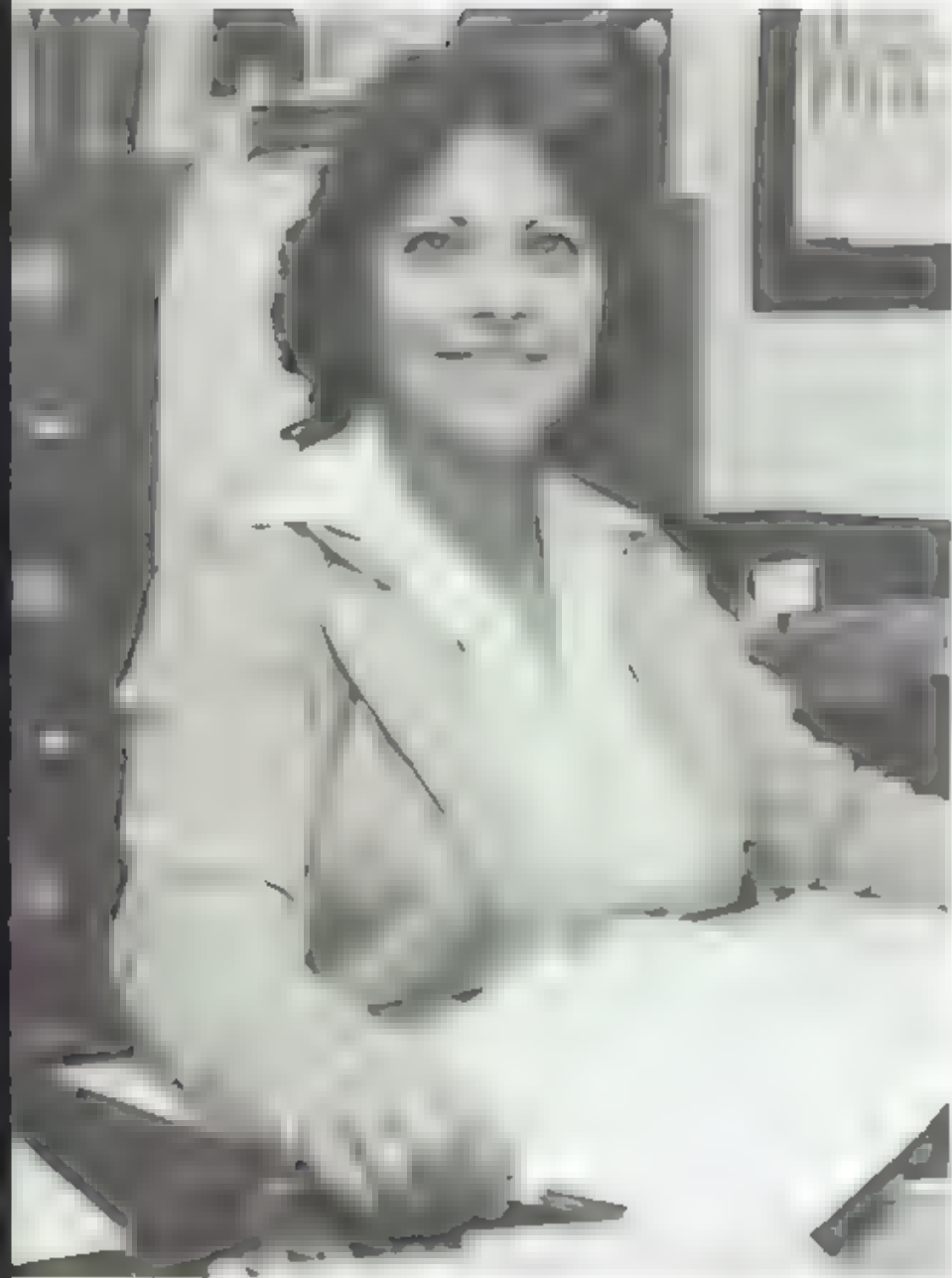
**Alice Kubo, Principal**

*"Horace wrote that without love and laughter there is no joy; live amid love and laughter. Fortunately, I am principal of Rio Americano High School. It is a joy to be here! What makes me laugh about Rio? I laugh because I look forward to each new day at Rio. What more could I say when I have a great faculty and staff, an enthusiastic, well-behaved and talented group of students attending Rio, and supportive parents who desire an excellent educational environment for their sons and daughters?"*

1. Pat Heple, Administrative Secretary.
2. Pat Wilson, Registrar.



*"Laughter comes from: Spirit Group, 'What does my hair look like?' Faculty, 'What is a purchase order?' Alice Kubo, 'How much more can I spend?' Dean Dayton, 'OVERSPENT Again, Again, and AGAIN! But alas, as the year rolls on, the budget is balanced and our school year is "SPENT."*



1. Sandy Mathias, Financial Secretary.
2. Joan Mussalum, Nurse.
3. Shirley Frick, Librarian.
4. Gladys Murphey, Faculty Secretary.



**Chris Gregory, Composition,  
AP English, English 11.**

"The students sense of humor is probably the major thing that makes me laugh. If they didn't seem to be having a good time, I wouldn't have so much fun."



"Don't ask me any questions — I might just tell you the truth."

**John Berger, English 10x, English 11.**

"What makes me laugh about Rio? The students, the teachers, the administration, and the parents, too!"





**Bill Jenks, English 9, English 11, English 11x.**

I laugh when I see in the lazy afternoon sun twenty aspiring RAettes posturing energetically before the large windows flinging coiffured curls and pony tails piquantly back and forth. I laugh when I read notes such as the following in the suggestion box:

Mr. Jenks, There is a bomb in the gear shift of your quant bike. On the first revolution of the front wheel it will blow. You will experience acute bombitis. We suggest footpower.

**The Chain Gang**

And I laugh every time I think of the unique mixture of personalities lumped together at Rio: shy and sweet, bold and saucy, serious and intense, irreverent and funny — to mention a few. Of course, there are a few duds like those who smear grease on freshman lockers, but taken as a whole I would be willing to bet that we have the most constantly creative, the most harmlessly humorous, and the most loquaciously likeable student body in the entire district.

Judy LaVergne, Basic English, English 9, English 9x.

*Yard Birds*

"Electronic buzzers, fly-the-coop bells,  
Release for those caged by the rule  
Synchronized flight and the halls are assailed  
By the flocks populating our school

Scatter, flutter, colors clutter  
The placid vistas of campus grass  
But of a feather these birds do gather  
In turfs akin to each separate mass

For those who do hunger, ravenous crops,  
The lines do form at the rear  
They nest near the snack bar casually propped,  
Pecking cookies, a mega-caloried career!

For those who fluff and preen in class,  
Any crowd is their center stage  
The better to gander at those who pass  
And strut for those who praise

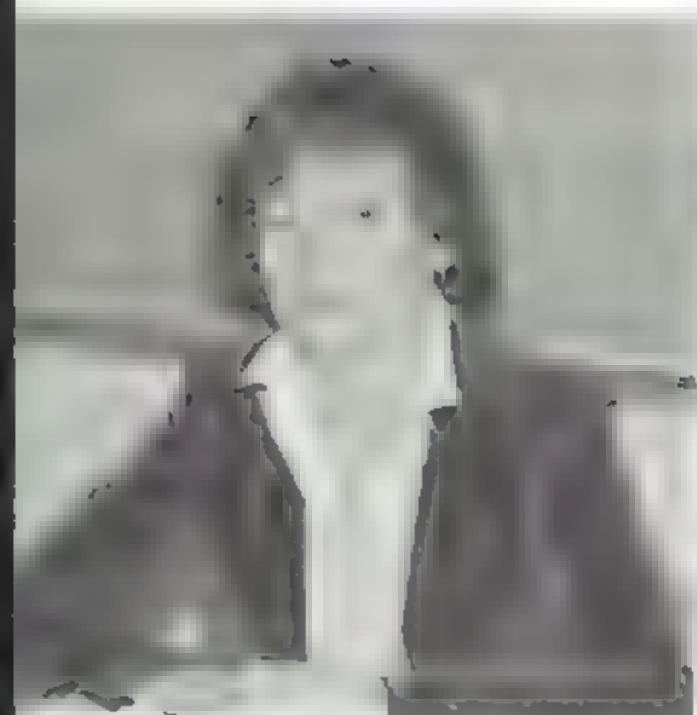
Distant squeals from gulls and girls  
Those scavengers and birds of prey,  
For a tasty chunk of a gorgeous hunk  
They scan the quad each day

Student chatter, locker clatter,  
A busy yard of exciting bird,  
To whom those things which really matter  
Lie in the "squawken," not the written, word

— J. LaVergne





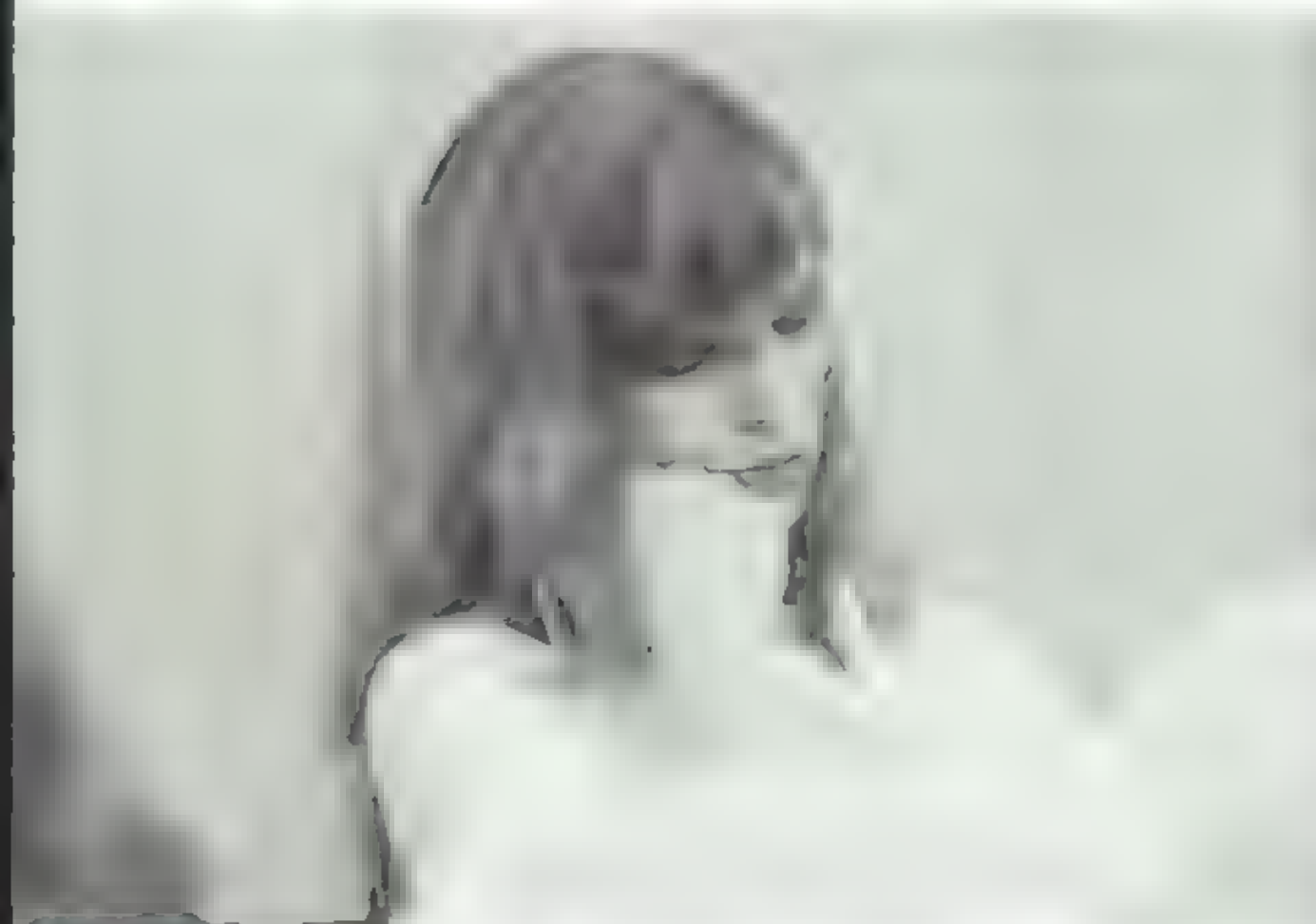


"One flew east, one flew west  
— one flew over the cuckoo's  
nest."

**JoAnn Gronbach, Creative  
Writing II, English 11.**

**Pauline Andersen, Senior  
English, English 10.**

"What makes me laugh? MY  
CLASSES!"



**June Gatewood, English 10x, English 11.**

The bright, witty students make me cheerfully chuckle for the following reasons: first, their excuses show creativity. "The essays in my father's car! You didn't tell us it was due today. My dog ate it! What essay???" Secondly, their words of encouragement inspire me. "Why do you pick such boring novels? Why can't we see films like Mr. Jenks? Are you Scrooge?" but sometimes their smiles lighten my spirts." Bye, have a nice Christmas!"

"It takes two to speak the truth — one to speak, and another to hear."



**Stephen Ruggiero, Biology.**

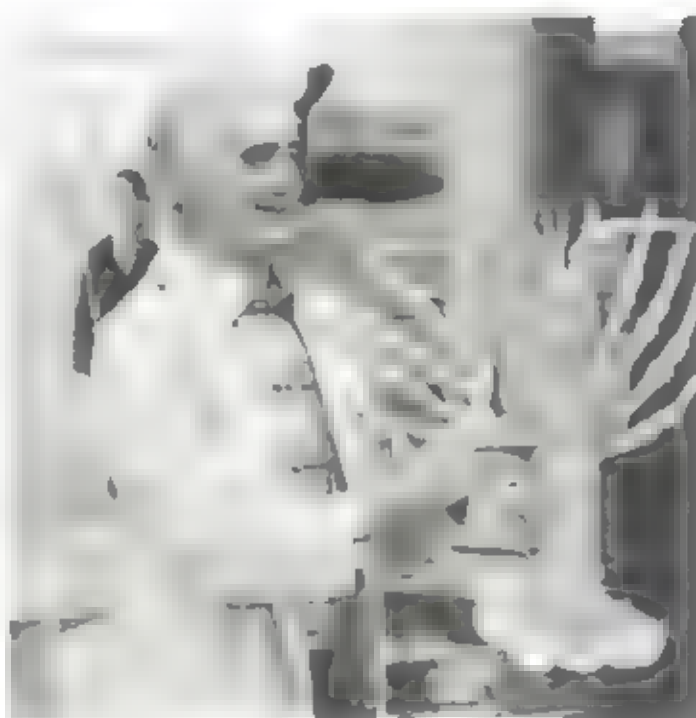
"What makes me laugh" "A good joke, myself, and students who ask me what unit a test is on, 5 minutes before the test."



**Marlon Gribkov, Biology, Chemistry, Physics.**

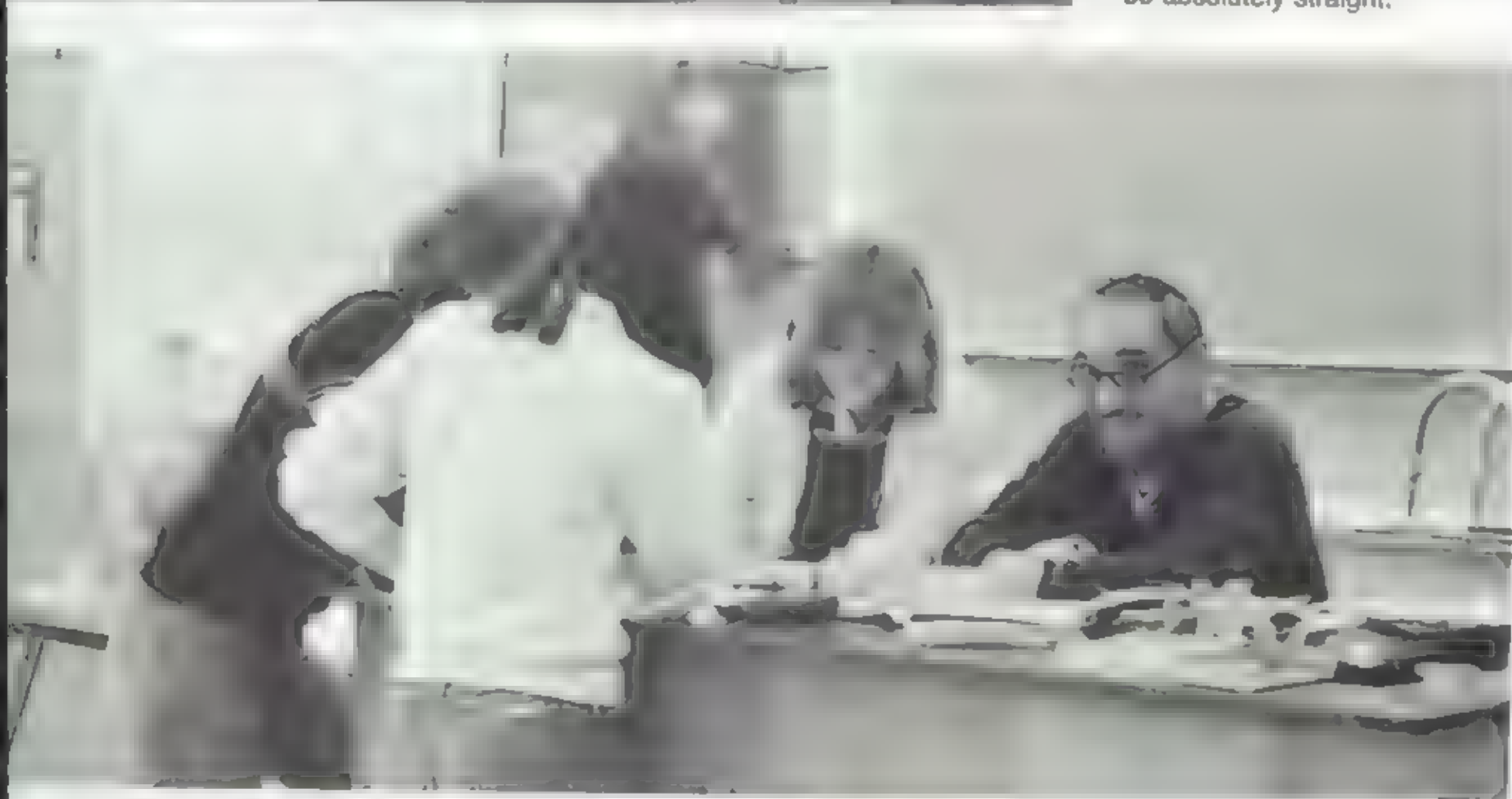
"Doug Post when he describes his bedroom. Lisa Obey when she comes up onto my podium so she can be taller. Carrie Cornwell's attempts to keep the rain off her head in Chemistry. Wayne Orvick's trying to avoid D's in Biology."

"Take my wife . . . PLEASE!"

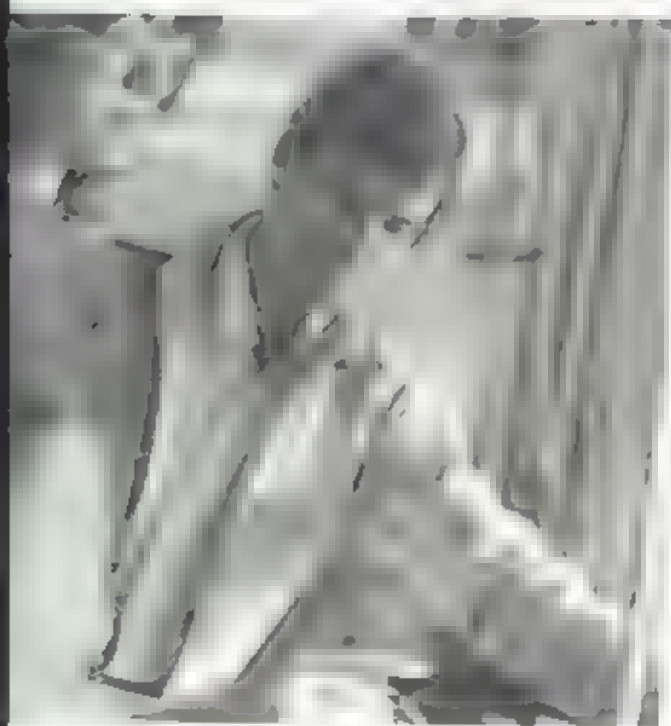


IF YOU CAN KEEP YOUR HEAD  
WHILE ALL THOSE ABOUT YOU ARE LOSING THEIRS  
MAYBE YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND THE SITUATION

"And so no force, however great,  
can stretch a cord, however fine,  
into a horizontal line, That shall  
be absolutely straight."



**Bob Jamieson, Life Science,  
Physical Science**



**Charles La Due, Chemistry**



*"Would you buy a used car from this man?"*

**Dean Dayton, Vice Principal**

*"What things make me laugh about Rio? I have been at Rio for sixteen years and have had many interesting and funny experiences. I could probably answer the question with one word, "Kids."*

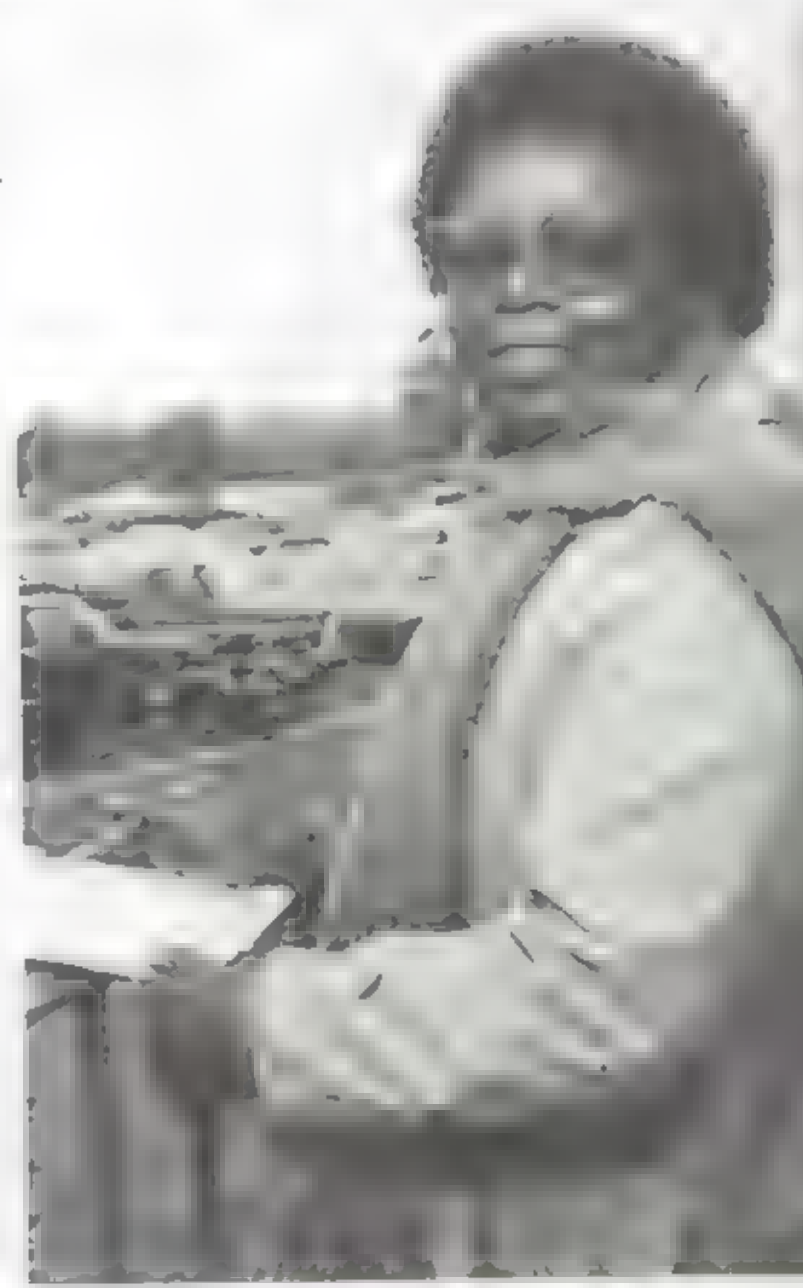
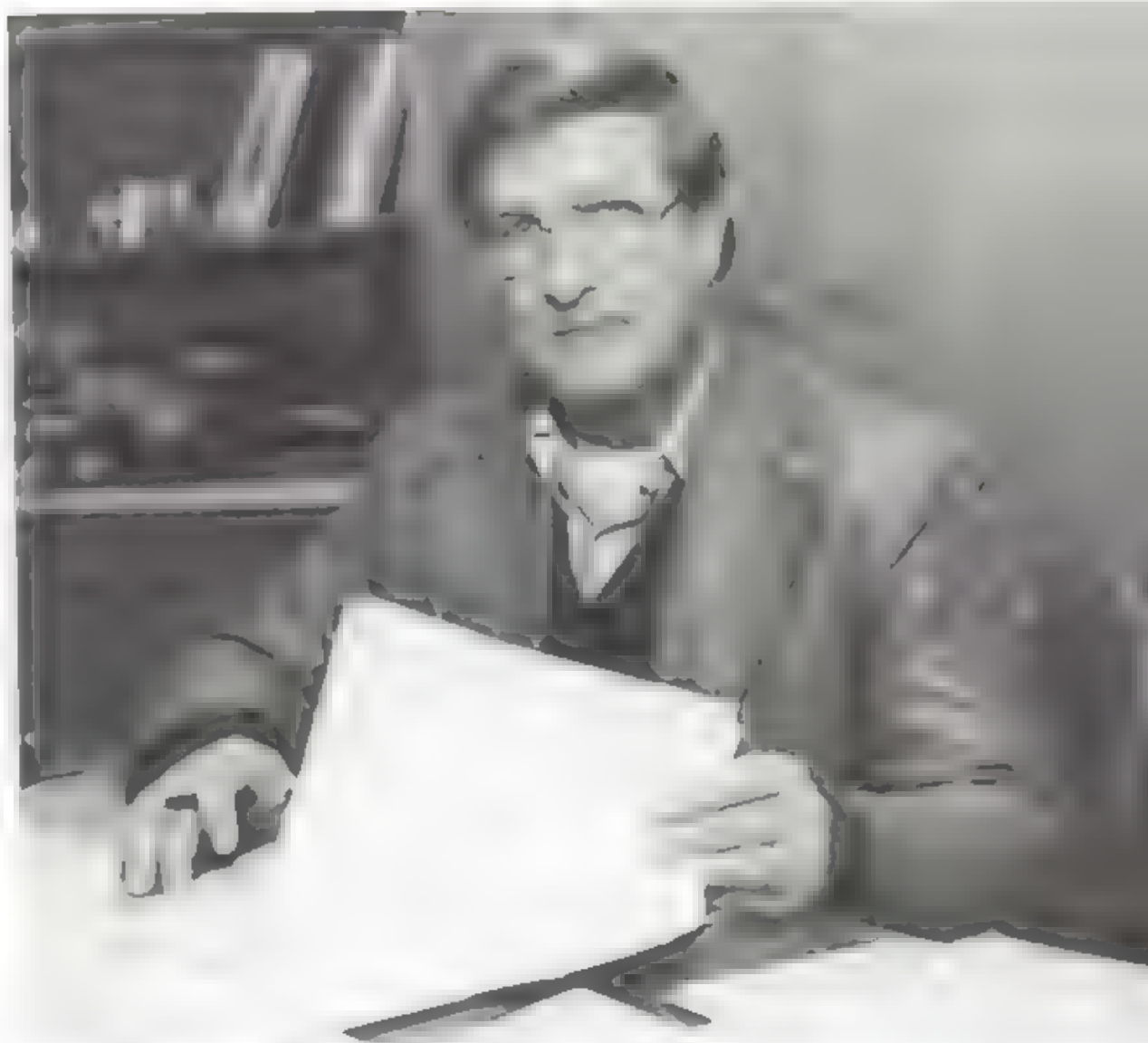
*One of the things that never change are the students. For the most part they are the same year after year. I hear the same excuses for being tardy, truant or whatever trouble they may be in. As the saying goes, "Kids will be kids." They will try and talk their way out of situations.*

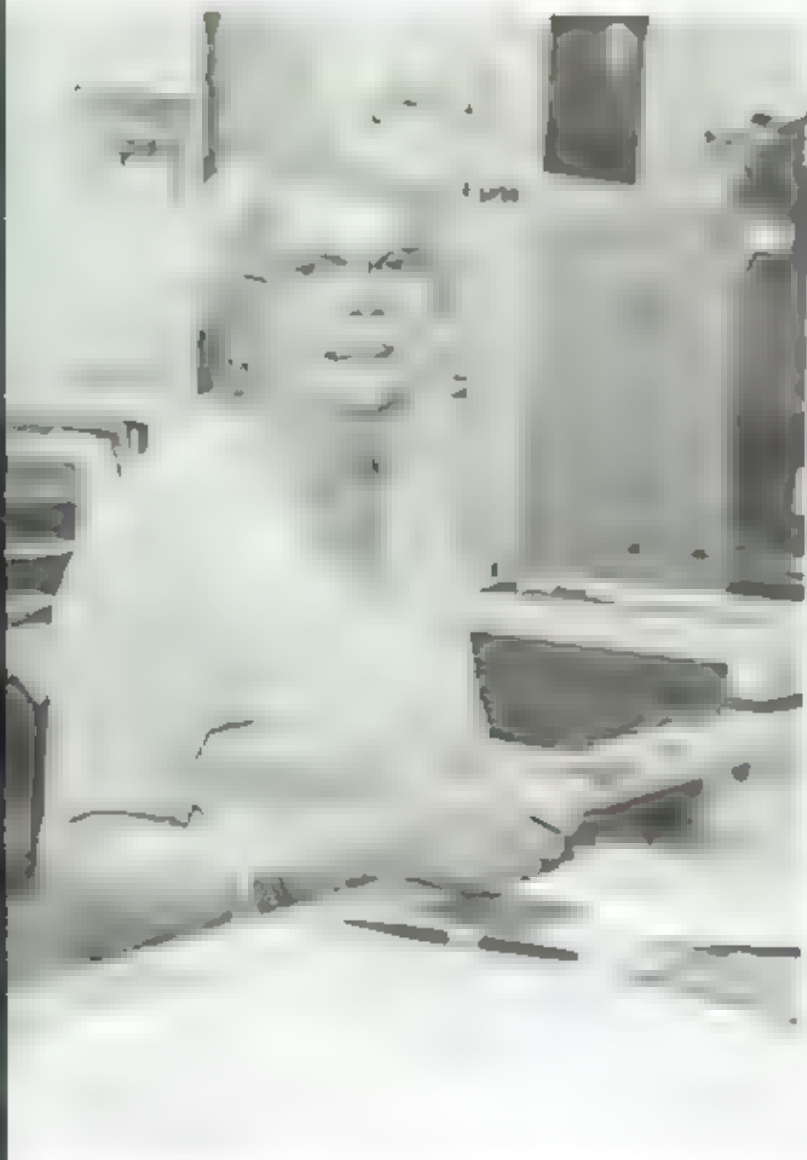
*I have to keep everything in a humorous perspective or this job would drive me to the nearest "Psycho" ward."*

**1. Ramona McCune, Secretary; Mardella Rothschiller, Administrative Secretary; Carole Marshall, Secretary.**

*"What a way to make a living ..."*

**2. Mattie Newsome, Campus Monitor.**





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1. JoAnne Kerber, CD Secretary.
2. JoAnne Knecht, Campus Monitor.

**Gayle Kernick, Administrative Assistant.**

*"The funny reasons students give for being tardy . . . ie. 'But no one told me!'. A student on the day of a test ask, 'What chapters does this test cover?' Mrs. Kubo in a staff meeting . . . 'I don't want to hear that,' At the end of the day when I realize that my serious problems have turned out O.K."*

**Ella DeLeon, Administrative Assistant.**

*"Mrs. Kubo's jokes make me laugh because I identify with her when she gets mixed up telling them."*

*"If you're so smart, WHY AREN'T YOU RICH?"*



**Theresa Marelich, Department Chairperson, Civics, Student Government, International Relations, World History**

*"The yearly announcement at the beginning of school every year for at least the past 15 years. "M & O (Maintenance and Operations) has been working on the air conditioning and the heating system all summer and everything is in working order for the coming school year."*

*"I'm not cynical ..... just experienced."*

**Bob Cook, Civics, Anthropology**

*"It makes me laugh when students ask, Are we doing anything important this period? Is this going to be boring? Do we have to spell every word right? Do I have to take this test? What time do we get out today."*







**John Henderson: U.S. History, World History, Pre-Algebra.**

*There are several things that make me laugh about Rio. Some of them have to do with school itself — the famous Rio roof and the equally famous Rio heating and air-conditioning system. Some other laughs come from some of the school's procedures — the 5-minute break and computer registration. Some laughs come from the people at Rio — Mr. Linde's jokes (not the ones he tells in class) and the freshman. As long as there are freshman at Rio, there will be something to laugh about."*

*"The meek shall inherit the earth — after everyone else is through with it!"*



**Richard Thorn: World History, Economics, Consumer Education.**

*"What makes me laugh? That's tough! I could easily discuss the other side of that coin. Like the sad feelings I get when a student fails. Maybe this indicates that I take things too seriously. I did have a good laugh the other day. Alice Kubo told me a joke. It was funny but watching her laugh was the real treat. Sometimes my classes make me laugh (mostly at myself). It's fun! I think I'll let it happen more often."*

*"Life isn't grand anymore . . . It's two grand!" "Living well is our best revenge."*

**Don Day: Latin 1,2,3,4, Spanish 1, World History.** "It makes me laugh when a student has been absent from class for a week or more and the first day back, he is called for a conference by either the counselor, the office, or an administrator. I could cry but figure that it is better to laugh."

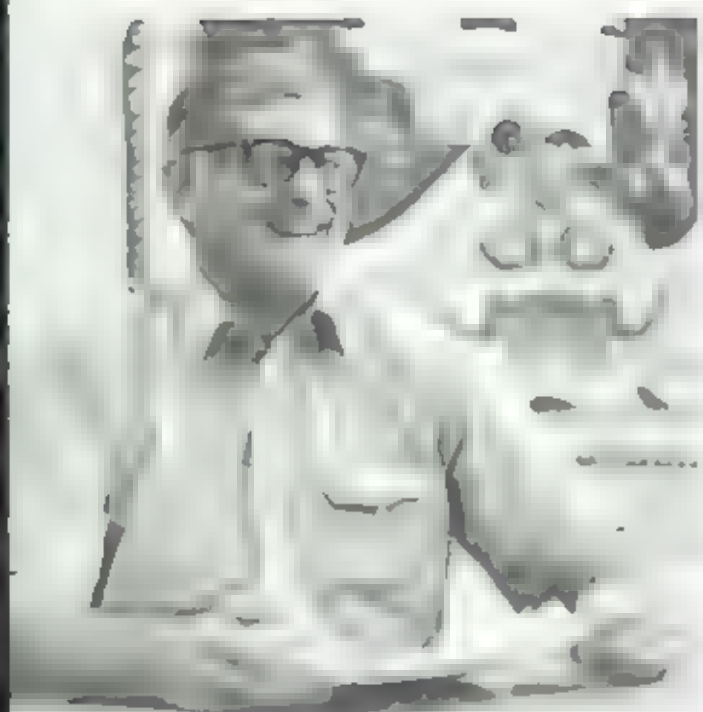


**Dale Jones: French 1, Spanish 2, World History.** "The students of Rio make me laugh. If I start the day in a bad mood, I soon become more cheerful as soon as my students come to class. They are usually smiling and friendly, and I enjoy being with them. I have been teaching for more than thirty years, and I still like working with the young people of high school age."



"Toupe, isn't that a french word? Ole, isn't that a spanish verb? O K., can't tell the difference these days!"

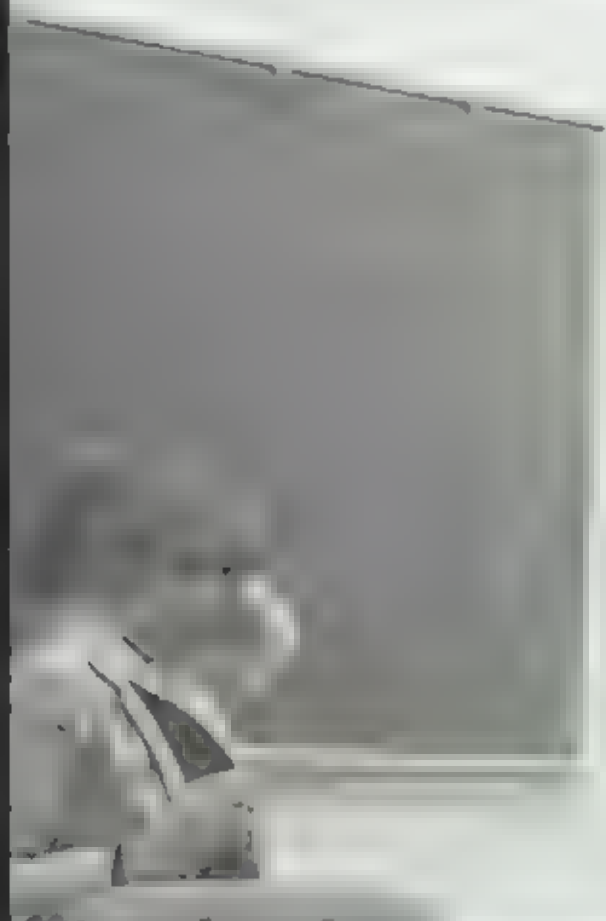




**Jerry Martin, Spanish 2,3,4,5.**

"Rio makes me laugh with delight because I see my friends."

**Gwendalyn Curry, German 2,3,4.**



**Mayme Scott, Spanish 2,3, Advanced Placement.**

Laughter comes from new administrative policies and procedures, air conditioning in my classroom, students who wear sunglasses in class, cheating on an oral impromptu speaking exam. Me! trying to achieve my goal of not trying to get behind this year! and Me! trying to think of something to write here.



"You know my methods in such cases Watson . . . "

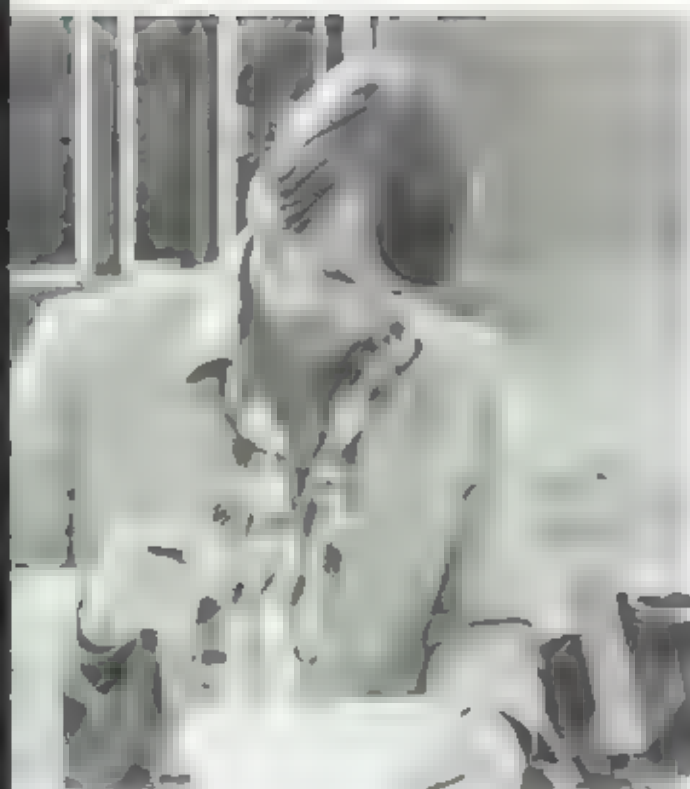
**John Hawck, US History, Drama.**



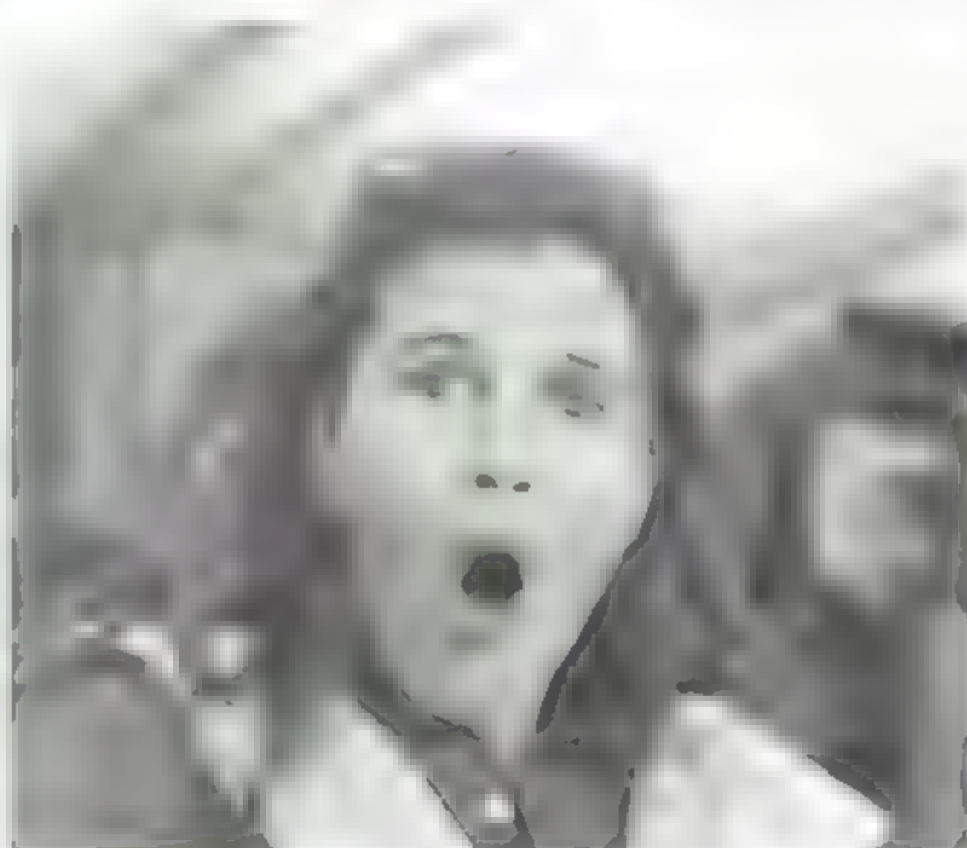
**George Linde, US History, Newspaper**

"The biggest laughter is the time worn statement of many students: "Gee, Mr. Linde, I finished my assignment, but I left it at home. Can I turn it in tomorrow?" To me, that's about as funny as one of my jokes!"





**Chuck Gebhardt, Radio and Television, Public Speaking, Senior English.**  
 "Things that make me laugh 1 Excuses for not having assignments finished on time 2 Coca Cola Machines 3 Meetings about nothing 4 Students who say 'thanks' for a grade they earned 5 People that never see the grey in any situation. 6. Bands that play at noon on the quad — FLAT!"



**Betty Miller, French 2,3, Readers Theatre, Drama.**

"I laugh on rally days when students take an hour lunch and on E days when 10 minutes passing means get there when you want. I laugh when I try to teach and get ready for Readers Theatre and plays at the same time, and when (if) my 6th period French II class is serious for three minutes. But most of all I laugh at Mr. Gebhardt trying to design my play set and at the final rehearsal for the faculty play when everyone realizes that the show is the next day!"



**Emory Haworth, Pre Algebra, Algebra I.**

"I Could never make out what those damned dots meant."



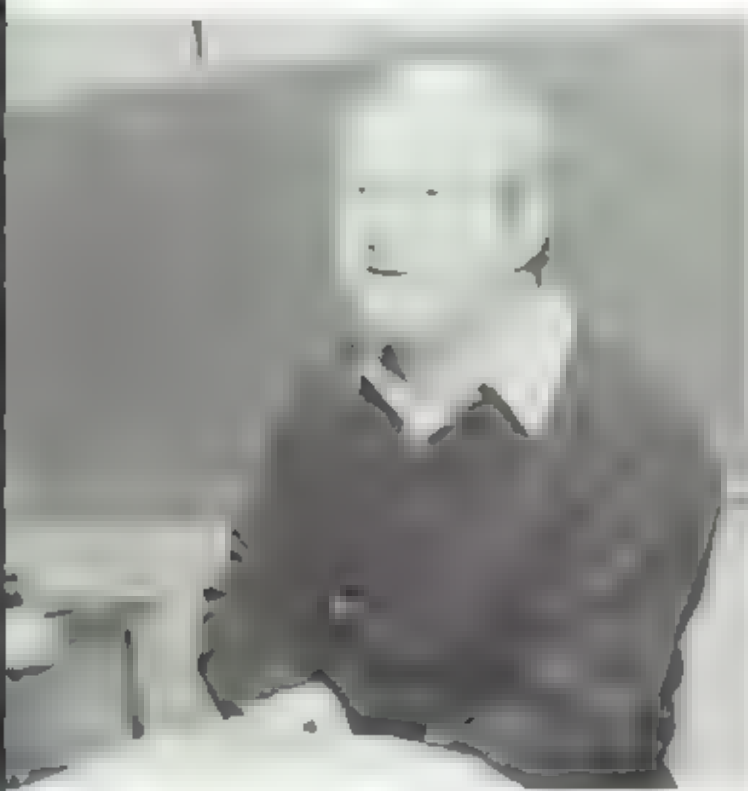
**Al Berkowitz, Pre Algebra, Algebra I.**  
"The block schedule makes me laugh."







"A man should keep his little brain attic stocked with all the furniture that he is likely to use, and the rest he can put away in the lumber-room of his library, where he can get it if he wants it."



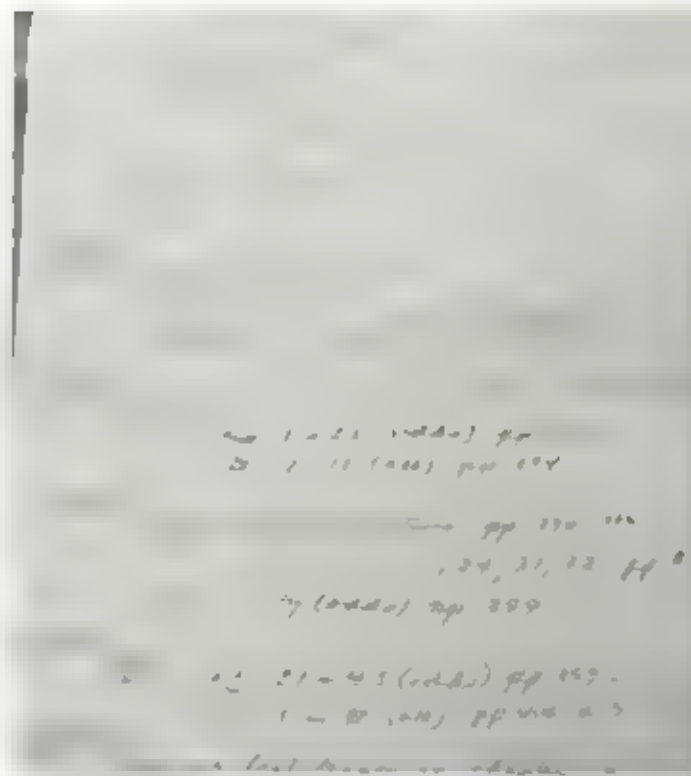
**Ernest McNeil, H.S. Arithmetic, Geometry, Algebra II.**

"I always laugh at the crazy excuses I get from students who don't have their homework. The best one yet was the student who said he made his homework into a paper airplane and it was hijacked to Cuba."

"Population, when unchecked, increases in a geometrical ratio. Subsistence only increases in an arithmetical ratio."

**"The knowledge of the world is only to be acquired in the world, and not in a closet."**

**Richard Hansen, Algebra II, Trigonometry, Math Analysis.**



Math teachers Dick and Linda Hansen proved once and for all that 1 plus 1 can equal 3. Proof positive arrived at Sutter Memorial Hospital, October 1, at 2:15 p.m. The baby, Elizabeth Anne Hansen, weighed 7 lbs, 5 oz., and measured 20½ inches. Mrs. Hansen took the first semester off to care for her new toddler, but she was back during the second semester working on the School Improvement Program.





"I recommend you to take care of the minutes: for hours will take care of themselves."

**Richard Palmiere, Health and Safety, Basic English.**

"Having taught in the ghetto of LA., it makes me laugh to see some people around Rio trying to act 'BAD.' They remind me of Gene Wilder and Richard Pryor in the movie, 'Stir Crazy.'"





**Al Haynes, Photography,**  
 "The Contrast of Autos be-  
 tween students and Faculty."  
 "Poverty stinks!"



**Clyde Huyck, Art, Paint and Draw. Commercial Art.** Lots of things make me laugh at Rio. Everyday I laugh with my friends here at Rio. We laugh at the great excuses why the runners can't run. My dog ate my shoes. My mother wants me to paint the house (When it is raining) this is the third of the month and I'm left handed. We laugh at Rio and with Rio. We laugh at ourselves and with ourselves as we slide down "the other side of the Mountain."





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Love,  
Wendy

#### Joe Sugimoto, Yearbook, Ceramics.

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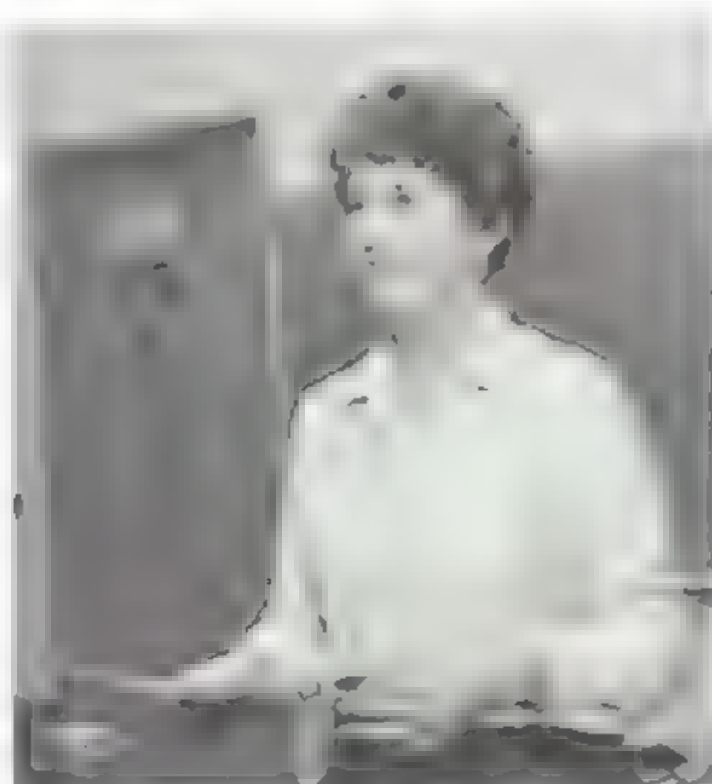


#### Phyllis Duell, clothing, foods, Consumer Ed.

"Beam me up Scotty, there is no intelligent life down here."

"The business of everybody is the business of nobody."

**Phyllis Skidmore, Consumer Education, Typing.**







"Wear your learning, like your watch, in a private pocket; and do not merely pull it out and strike it; merely to show that you have one."



**Peggy Kearney, Career Center.**

Editor note: Although Peggy had been at Rio for many years, at the semester, she chose to leave Rio and return to college to obtain her Master's degree. Over the years, Peggy has turned the career center into a very efficient and business-like place for the students, and we know that all of the students, staff, and administration will miss her services tremendously."

**Larry Coonrod, Drafting 1 & 2**



**Bill Mensch, Metal 1 & 2, Wood 1 & Adv.**

"A student that sits in class and does nothing and expects to pass."





**Dick Kreutzer, Auto 1 & Adv.**

"The parking lot Grand Prix, gear drives, air shocks, and charge cards."



**Ray Jones, ROP**

"What makes me laugh about no. The cross my heart side-walk design in the quad."

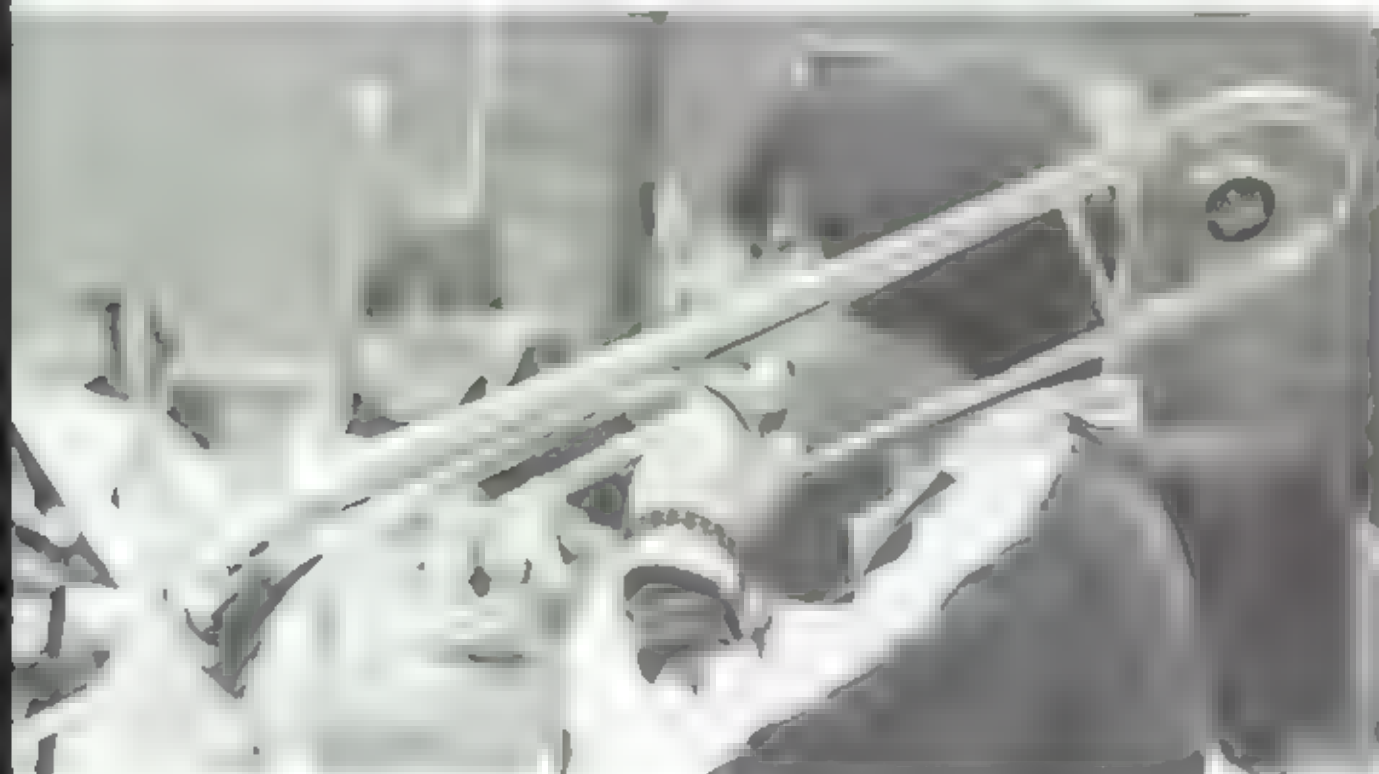




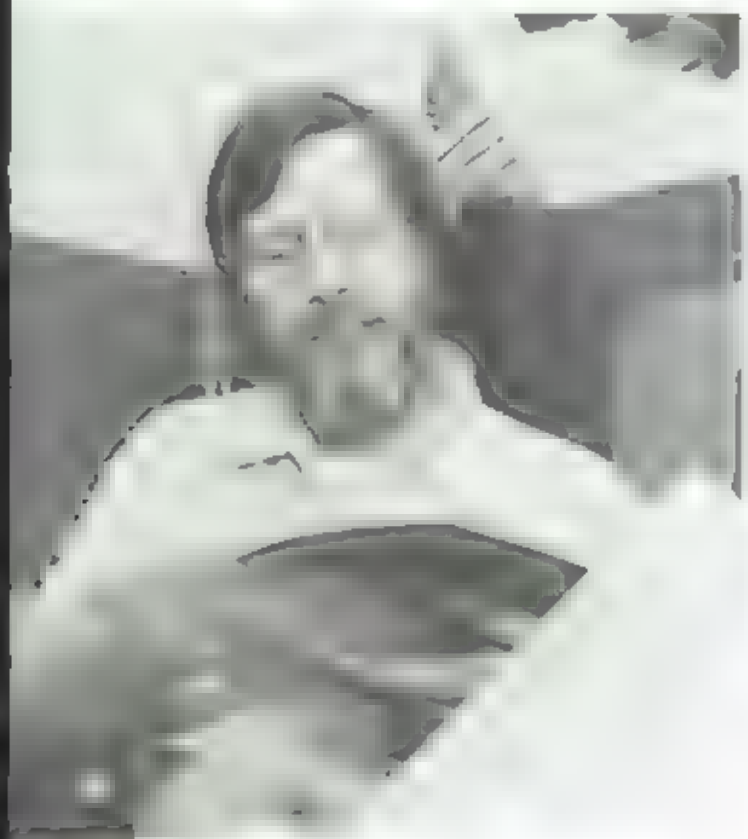
**Ben Fong, Jazz Ensemble, Concert Band, Guitar.**

The end of this year marks the end of my 2nd year at Rio. The experience that I've had has been simply beautiful. What makes me laugh are my students. They make me laugh, they make me cry, they make me mad, and they make me explode with excitement. There have been times when I could hug them with all my love. In the past two years I've grown really close to my students. I only hope they can feel open enough to allow me to help and to share, whether it be subject matter or a problem in life. To help and share, two main qualities of my teaching philosophy, and isn't that what love is all about?





**Joe Axup, Madrigals, Orchestra, Concert Choir.**  
 "I laugh when I hear that one of our neighbor schools is supposed to be so superior to Rio."



**Joe Belcastro, Coach, Physical Education.** "Two things make me laugh about Rio: Every year when school starts, we are informed that the roofs have been fixed and there should be no more leaks. However, when the first rains come, yes you guessed it, there are several leaks throughout the whole school. We are also informed that the heat and air conditioning units have been fixed to work when they are supposed to. We find out there has been no change, the air conditioning works great in the winter and the heating system in the summer."



**Janet Bee — Physical Education, RA'ettes.** "Sarcastic laugh — Some of the P.E. excuses. "I can't believe I'm Laughing" laugh — Mr. Linde's jokes. "Happy" laugh — Talking to students who have gained a feeling of self satisfaction after accomplishing a goal. Also seeing someone enjoy physical activities. "Gleeful" laugh — Fridays before a long weekend or vacation."







**Jerry Kaiser, Coach, Physical Education.**

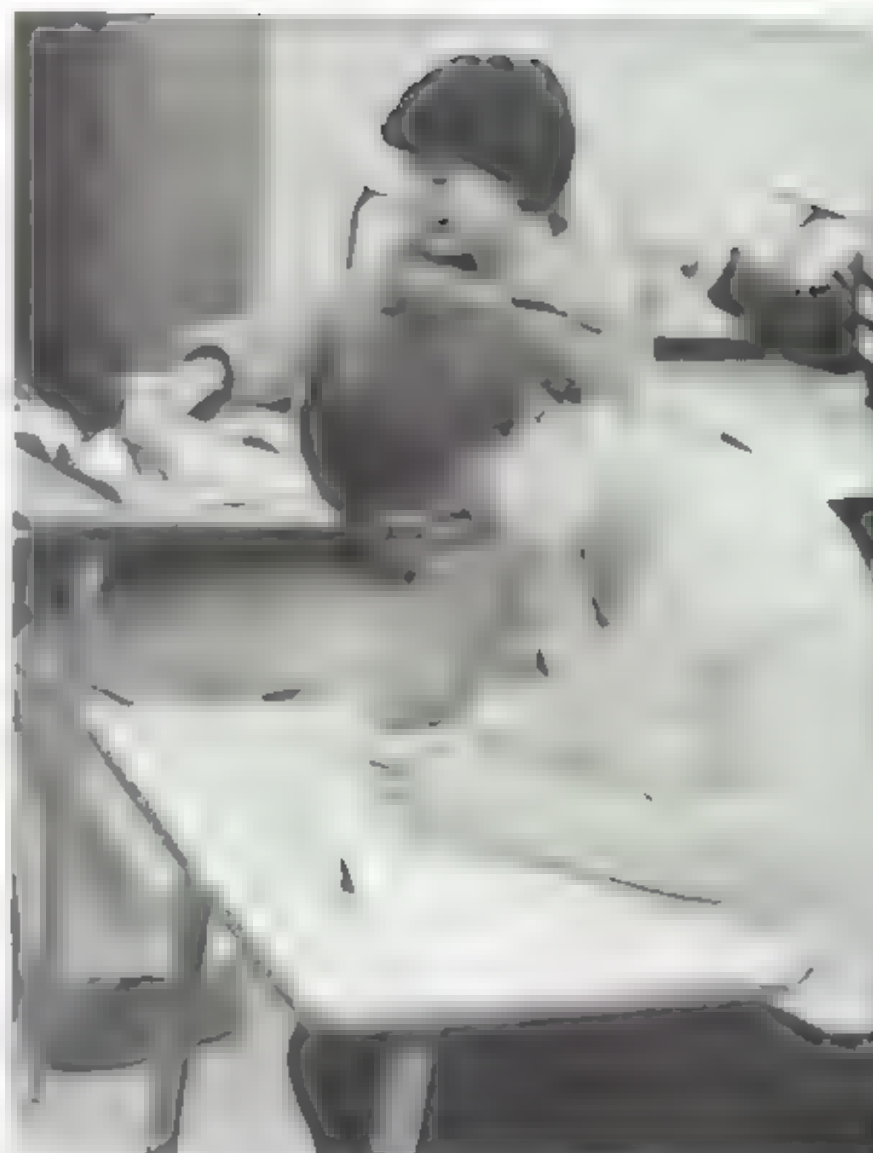
*"What makes me laugh at Rio? Ron Suster making believe he is a lawyer while trying to change 'All the Rules.' My third period Sophomore class trying to play badminton and my fourth period class trying to play Volleyball."*

**Al Manfredi, Coach, Physical Education.**

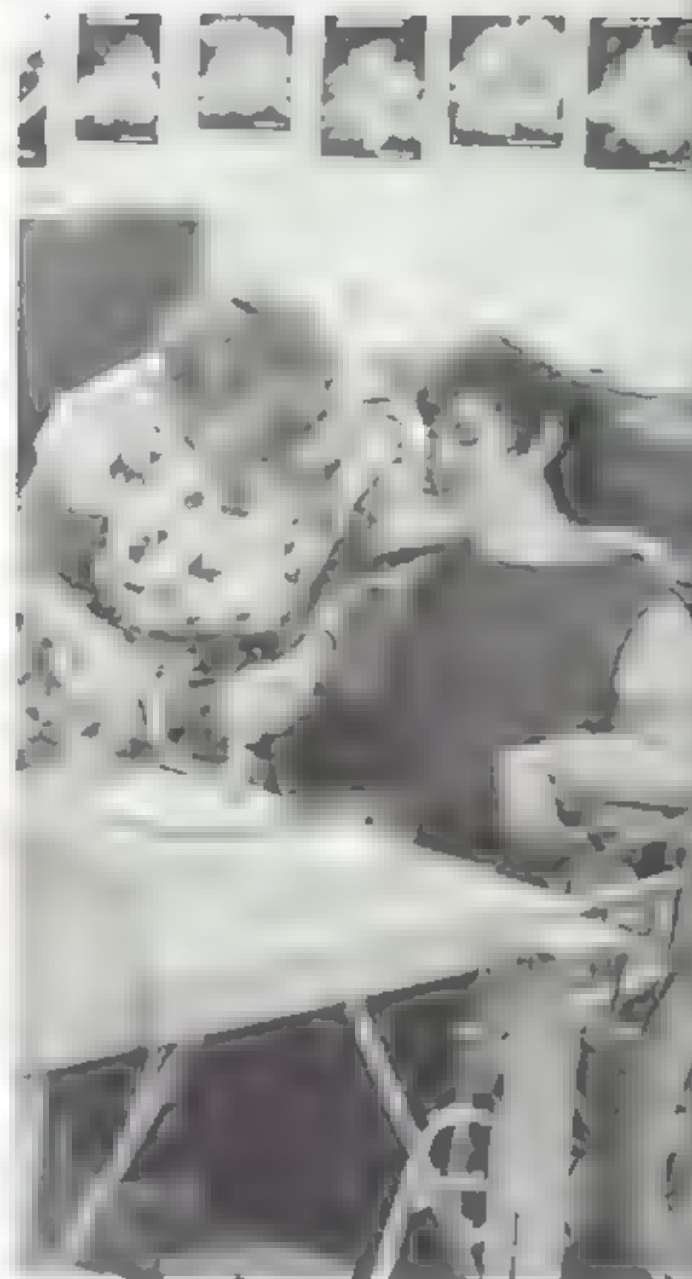
*"The freshman Students! Each year they are more naive about everything around them and about them. They are curious, serious and fun to be with for the most part. Overall Rio is a fun place to work at; and being with a good group of faculty members as well as students makes it enjoyable to go to work each day."*

*Alice Kubo — "A true Athletic Supporter."*

**Henrietta Baron, Special Education Instructional Aide,** shown here teaching the fine art of cuisine to her students. She has also published two best-selling cookbooks



**Pat Landenberg, Frankie Schneider, and an Aide, Learning Disability Center,** take an active role in Rio activities. This year they spearheaded a successful fundraising drive for the Easter Seals Telethon, and with Student Government, placed first in Sacramento County for money raised





**Mae Schrader, Joe Kine, and Frankie Christie, *Special Education Department*, are certainly three of the happiest members of the Rio faculty. They are always available to help the many students in the special education program**





Having a job as a janitor at Rio is often hard, frequently dirty, and always interesting. Whether it be trying to fix the inconsistent heating system, cleaning "Christmas-snow" off the walls, or discovering the disarray after lunch in freshman hall, the janitors are always "ready for action" and willing to lend a helping hand. If the campus is considered a place of beauty, it is certainly because of the hard work and dedication put in by these men.



Janitors (from left ) Emory Taylor, Ray Reeves, Richard Evans





o kitchen staff (standing, from left ) Staff worker, Dorothy Andrews, Jerri Hilbun, Darla Cooley  
 Charlene Grace, Ruth Hill (Neeling ) Staff worker, Sue Brant

Although Rio has the lowest lunchtime attendance in the district, the cafeteria staff works extremely hard providing sandwiches and other delectables to other area schools. The snack bar, though, is constantly "jammed" with hungry students, who devour a variety of food, including nachos, yogurt, Egg McMuffins, potato chips, and sandwiches. The Rio kitchen is a center of activity every morning, and all Rio students are welcome to survey the food preparations



**Jerri Hilbun, Kitchen Manager,** is always ready with a smile for the students.



"Macaroni and bologna, Tuna fish — our favorite dish  
 If it's yellow, it must be jello; If  
 it's blue, it could be stew "

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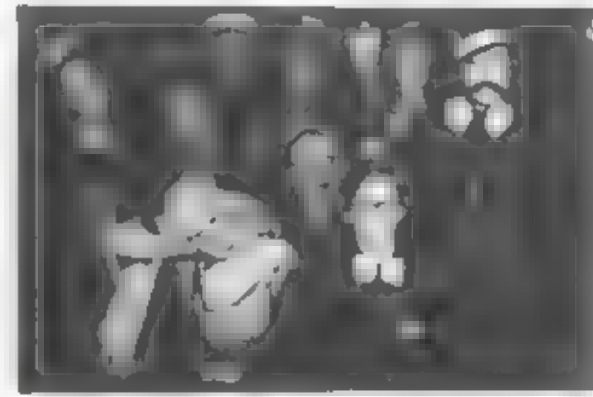
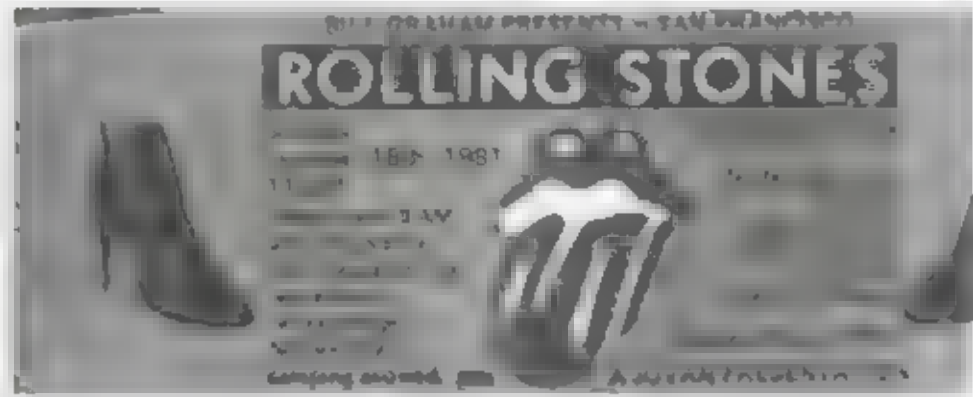


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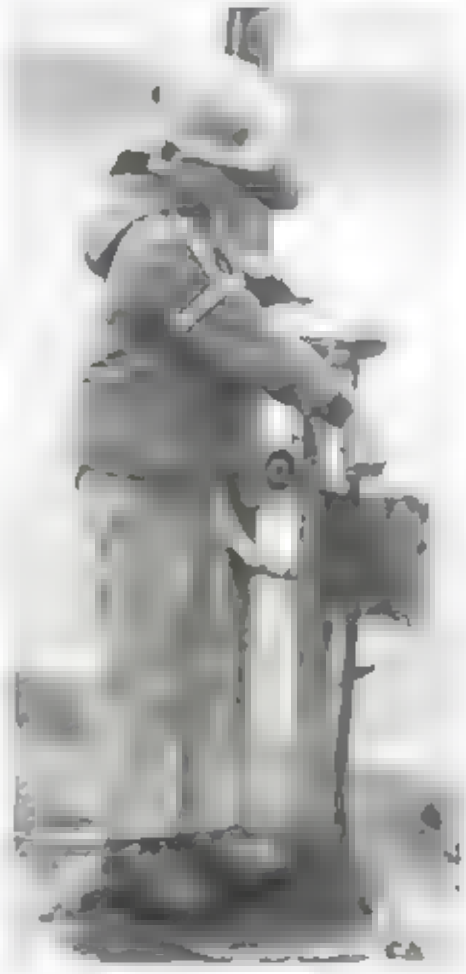
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# SPIRIT

"It is a silly game where nobody wins."

Spirit seemed to come in abstract forms. Whether it be an innovative performance by the RAettes, an obnoxious spectacle by the River Rats, or an inspiring cheer from the Pep band — sometimes spirit appeared to have an element of contrast. There was not much to cheer about for the many athletic teams, but all students felt a sense of enthusiasm for their school. This "spirit" was evident in a number of clubs, classes and individuals, each trying to provide their own sense of a pride in themselves.

"I also say it is good to fall, battles are lost in the same spirit in which they are won."



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1. Step ... Two, Three, Four ... Step ... 2. The RA ettes "flash" to the Homecoming crowd  
3. Rule #1: The smile must never fall from your face. 4. Just "kickin' back" during the Homecoming festivities. 5. "How much longer do I have to hold this position?"



The RA'ettes had an interesting year. With a constant 'whirl' of adding and losing girls, it seemed as if the drill team would be unorganized and their performances uninspiring. NOT SO! Every performance was razor-sharp, original, and a definite crowd pleaser. The girls were certainly the high point in all rallies, games, and activities, including numerous parades. This group of girls has elevated the status of the drill team to its highest point in many years, and were rivaled only by their "alter-ego" team, the BLOCK'ettes.



RA'ette officers: (from left:) Debbie Gouker, Vice President; Jenny Baughman, President; Heidi Berthoff, Secretary; Donna Wills, Treasurer.

1981-82 RA'ettes (back row, from left) Heidi Berthoff, Sue Tierney, Jenny Cox, Kelly Myers, Mary McCubbin, Susan Wilber (Middle Row) Kristin Nelson, Julie Kinder, Dawn Perkins, Betsy Henley, Chris Kirk, Jenny Baughman (Front row) Donna Wills, Susan Bernheimer, Sarah Shortz, Cindy Ledwith, Debbie Gouker, Wendy Morton, Carol Nessim



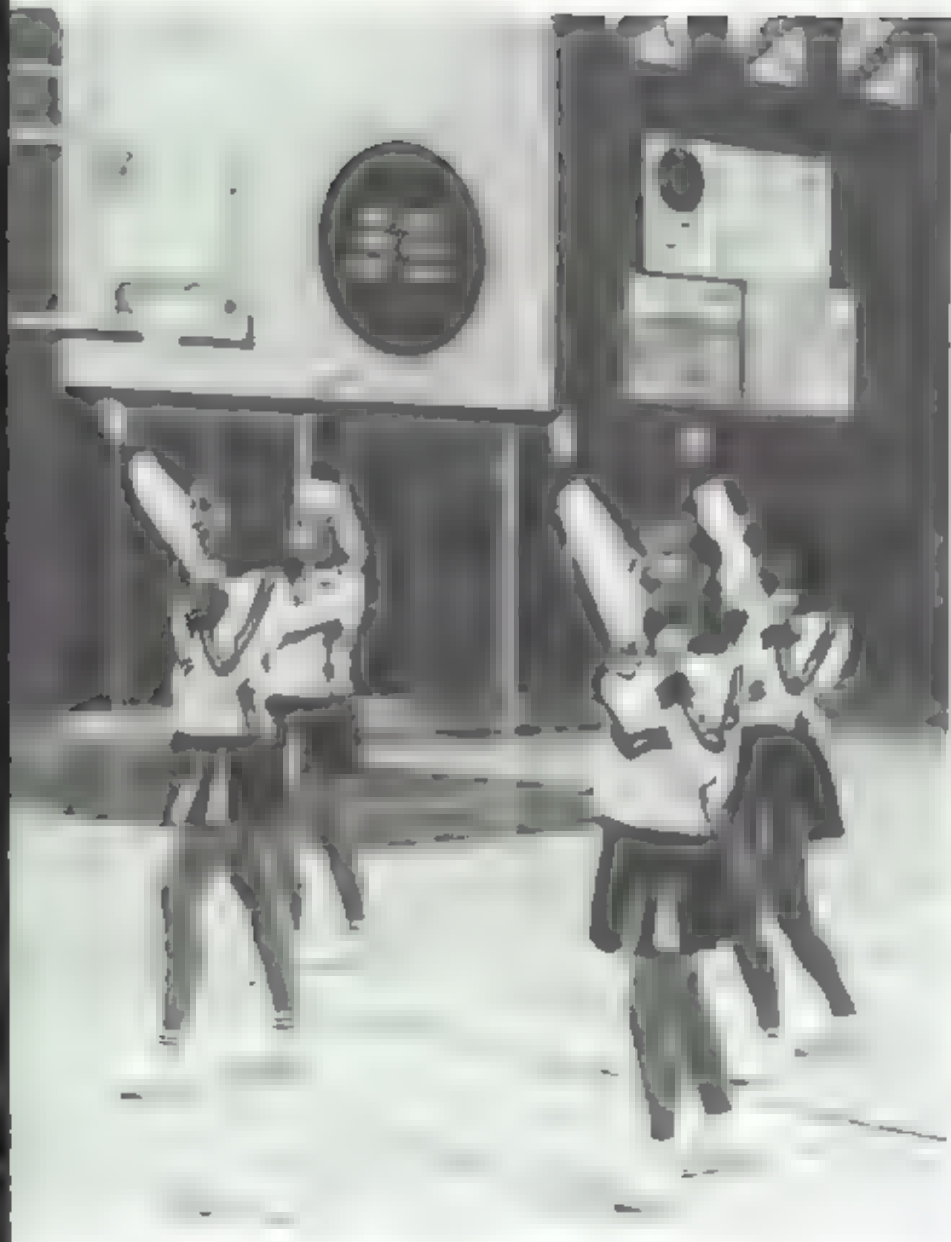
1 Motivating an angry football crowd, while the team loses, can be quite a job. 2. "How do you do that Julie, You're so athletic!" 3. We are fired up! 4 Once a cheerleader, always a cheerleader 5. The entire spirit group (minus the JV squad) surround their enthusiastic advisor, Sandy Mathias 6. Julie Matlof smiles as she looks for votes for next year's Homecoming Queen contest



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The varsity cheerleaders considered the 1981-82 squad to be one of the best ever. Having had the experience of being cheerleaders before, the squad had no trouble getting into the Raider spirit. Their enthusiasm was displayed early, as they won a superior trophy, a spirit stick, and much acclaim at cheerleading camp. Throughout the year the girls showed their dedication to girls and guys athletics, and participated in several competitions, placing 1st and 2nd. Head cheerleader Sally Alessi, Johanna Mills and songleader Kim Dawson were honored as among 16 girls out of 800 asked to apply for a position with the USA teaching staff.

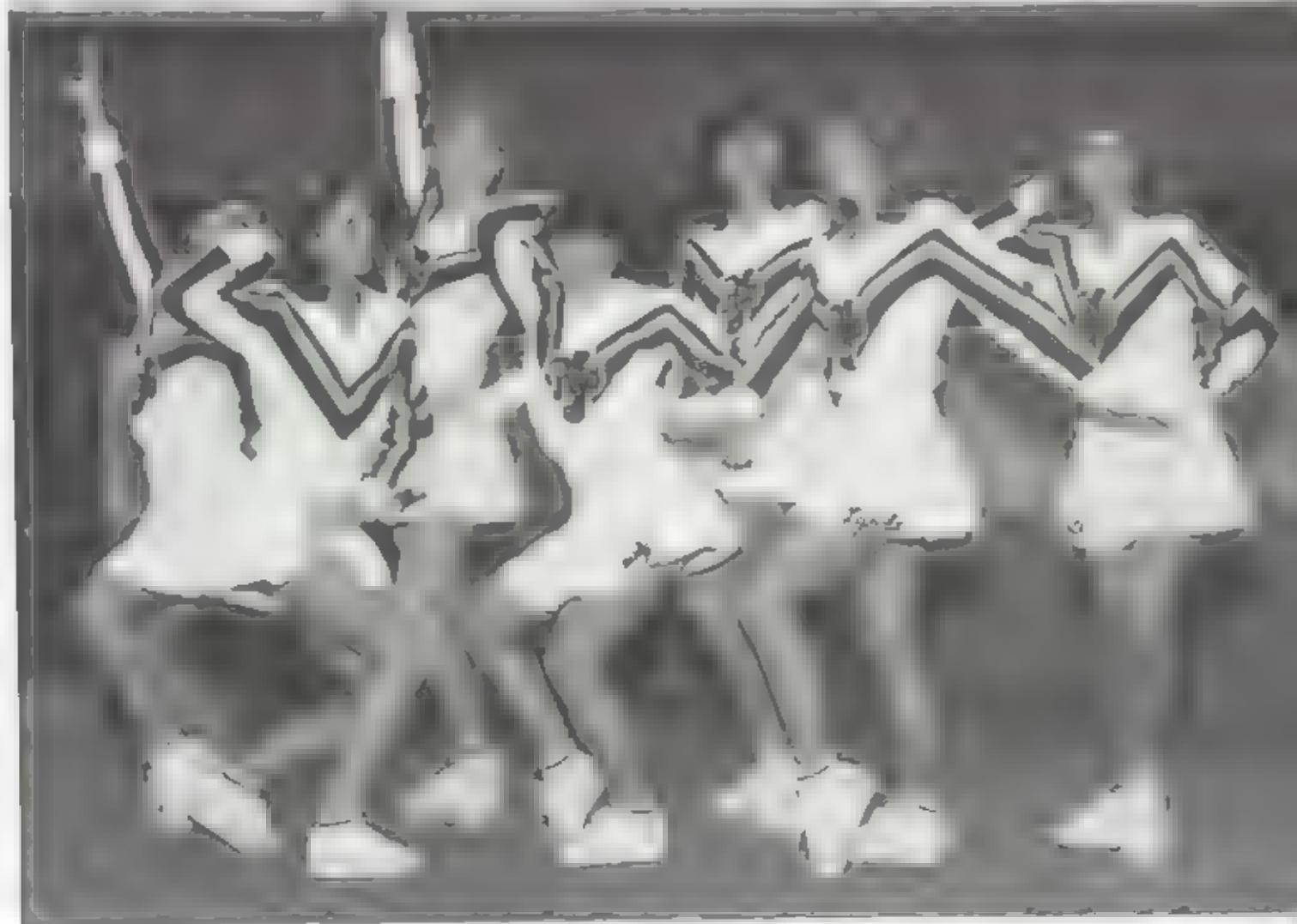


1981-82 Cheerleaders (from left) Johanna Mills, Kim Catron, Katrina Frank, Ann Leonard, Sally Alessi, Julie Mattof, Adrienne Van Quill, Debbie Gonzales

1. The spirit squad proved to be a fun-loving, sorority-type of group. 2. Becky Sommerdorf  
 She's got the beat! 3. Afternoon football games can get pretty "Hot." 4. Heidi Billings  
 and Lynda Willis definitely have a future as playboy bunnies. 5. We are just very kinky girls. 6.  
 Janine Schwilk proved that she was always ready for action.



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The songleading squad got off to a slightly slow start this year, mainly because it was composed of eight girls with little or no cheerleading experience. Things fell into place quickly, though, as they received 3rd place honors (out of 12 teams) at summer songleading competition. These girls worked very hard throughout the summer and the school year supporting both boys and girls athletics, as well as school activities. Lead by heads Kim Dawson, Janine Schwilk, and Beth Phillips, the songleaders did a super job in promoting school spirit



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1981-82 Songleaders (from left ) Janine Schwilk, Heidi Billings, Jane Robinson, Becky Sommerdorf, Susan Komisaruk, Linda Wils. Beth Phillips

1. Rio mascots (from left.) Marilyn Bargman, Laura Morrison, Heather Schiacter, Cathy Rathbone. 2. "Just socializin' between quarters." 3. Varsity mascots Janine Moody and Cathy Rathbone. 4. Smile pretty for the camera! 5. Freshman mascot Heather Schiacter, future Homecoming queen? 6. Sophomore mascots are "STRONG RAIDERS!" 7. "We're just clowning around"



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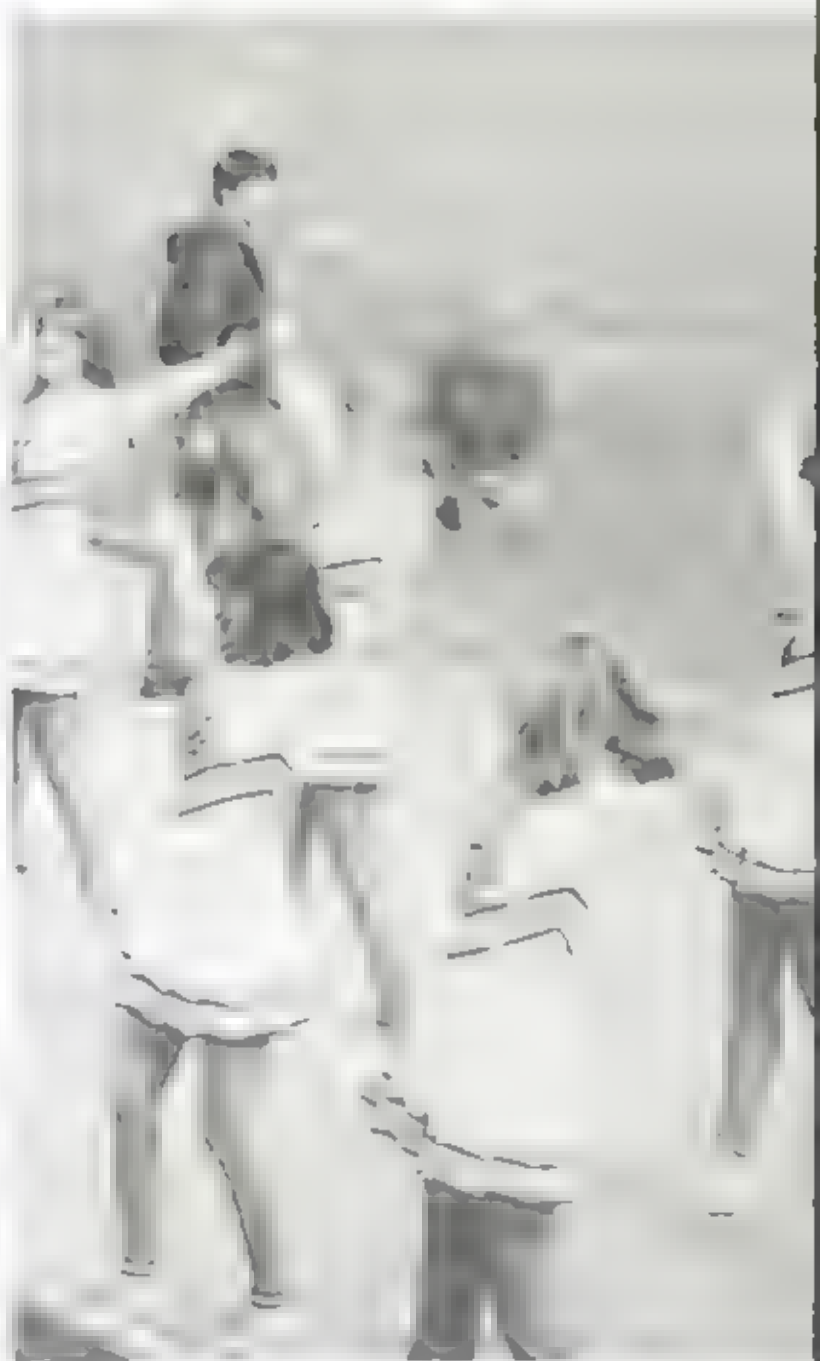
Rio Mascots were extremely "peppy" during the year. Freshman Heather Schiacter, Sophomores Laura Morrison and Marilyn Bargman, and Juniors Janine Moody and Cathy Rathbone were always ready to cheer our Raider teams on to VICTORY. These girls could be found at girls games, guys games, and most of the student activities (dress-up days, lunch-time contests, parties, dances, etc.) Constantly trying to fit in all of their responsibilities, the mascots had a very busy year.



Being a mascot is pretty hard at times; you always have to be "up," even when your team is losing. It's a lot easier when you win!



1 Sophomores can get organized, too! 2 Victory, Where are you? 3. "Gee, I didn't realize cheering at the games would be such fun" 4. Hey, Raiders . . . I think my arms are stuck in this position 5 Hey, Catch the "leg" show These girls must get a lot of exercise. 6. We're just being cute, too bad there aren't any spectators here to watch





The Junior Varsity Cheerleaders worked extremely hard socializing, cheering, socializing, practicing, socializing, working out, socializing, etc. These were some of the most active girls on the campus and were very popular at rallies, games, and activities. Although they didn't do as well as expected at competition, their peers at Rio knew style and poise when they saw it, and the students thought that the JV cheerleaders were "No. 1." as well as being an extremely "cute" part of the Rio surroundings



1981-82 JV Cheerleaders (back row, from left) Laura Morrison, Stephanie Alexander, Rosie LeCompte, Diana Meyer, Stephanie Bouza, Gabriele Armstrong, Diane Schwabe (Front Row) Mariyn Haberman, Jody Murdock, Mana Bacich, Tammi Haier, Head Kathy McMullen

1. The freshman entourage awaits the arrival of the mighty freshmen football team. 2. "We want a V-I-C-T-O-R-Y!" 3. Head cheerleader Lori Grey leads her squad, "Push 'em back, Push 'em back." 4. A flying freshman goes through the cheerleaders tunnel. 5. "Gee!, I wonder what everyone's doing on Friday night, Hey, you guys . . ." 6. OK Karen (Con,) Stop posing for the camera







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The 1981-82 freshman cheerleaders proved that first year jitters can soon be curtailed. This squad of nine girls, chosen during the spring of 1981, showed their enthusiasm early in the year by carrying on the legacy of all Rio cheerleaders, and received all superior ratings, trophies and ribbons at summer spirit camp. These girls were among the most spirited groups on the campus cheering at girls and guys games and leading the freshman class in numerous activities. They also did very well at the annual spring competitions.



Freshman cheerleaders (back row, from left) Marcia Anderson, Dana Grenz, Kristin Wertz, Cori Boone, Melissa Miford, Lori Grey. (Front row) Susan Fobes, Jeannie Ahern, Heather Schiacter, Elizabeth Klippi, Andrea Bargman

1 and they played a night long' 2 Gee hope I get this piece right this time 3 Carne Cornwe . beats to a different drummer 4 "A one and a two . ." 5. Curts Williams smile for a publicity photo. 6. "I hope this song ends soon my lips are kissing me 7 Scott Prentice fills the gym with his song 8 I feel like this is one giant pacifier



March 1st  
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 3. Carne Cornwe . beats to a different drummer  
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Curts



Always an effective "noise maker" at all of the student activities and games, the pep band helps in motivating the crowds, as well as our sports teams. Led by Brian Nakagawa, and directed by Ben Fong, the band was certainly an important part of the school spirit, and their enthusiasm was hard to equal







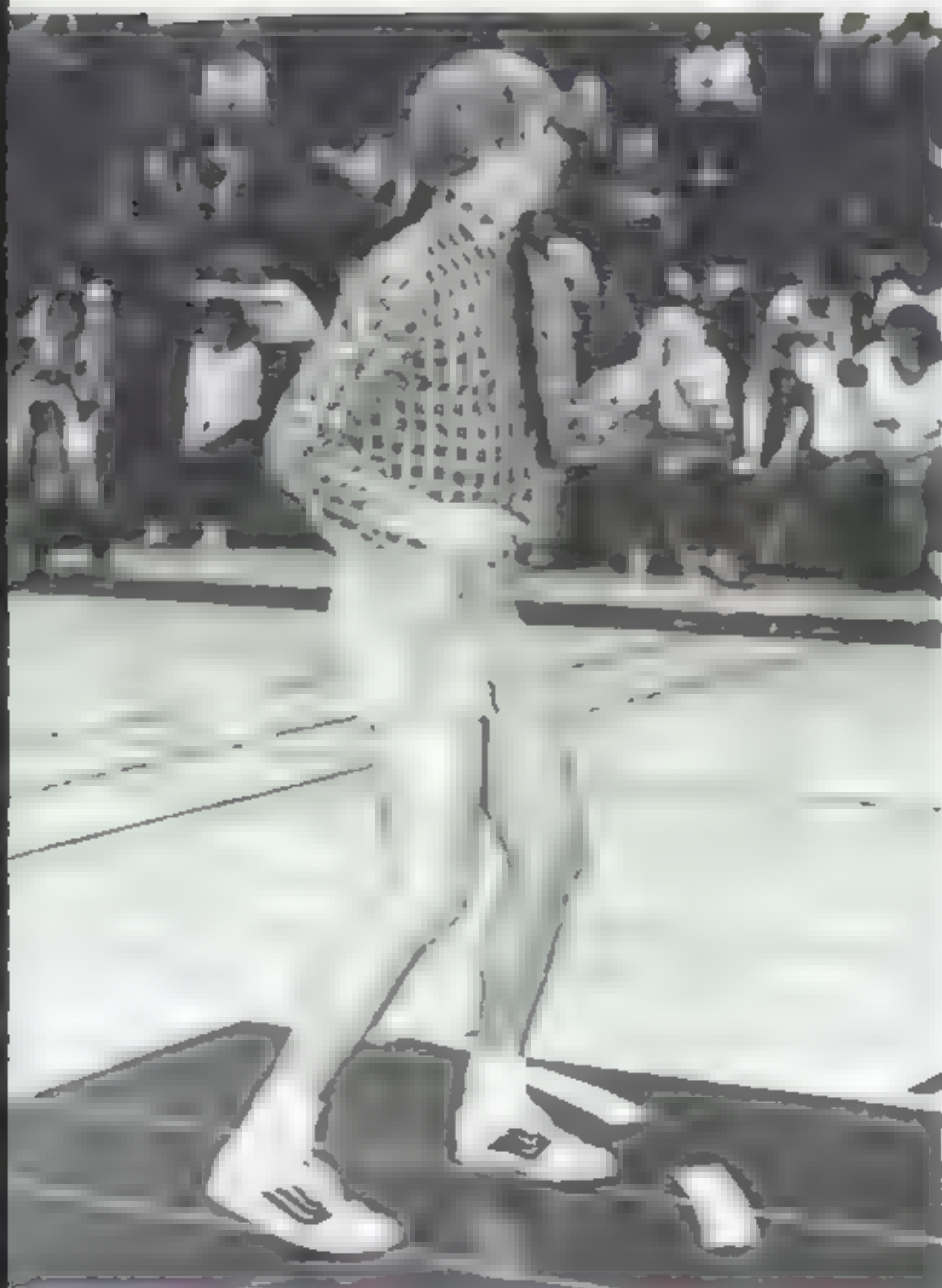
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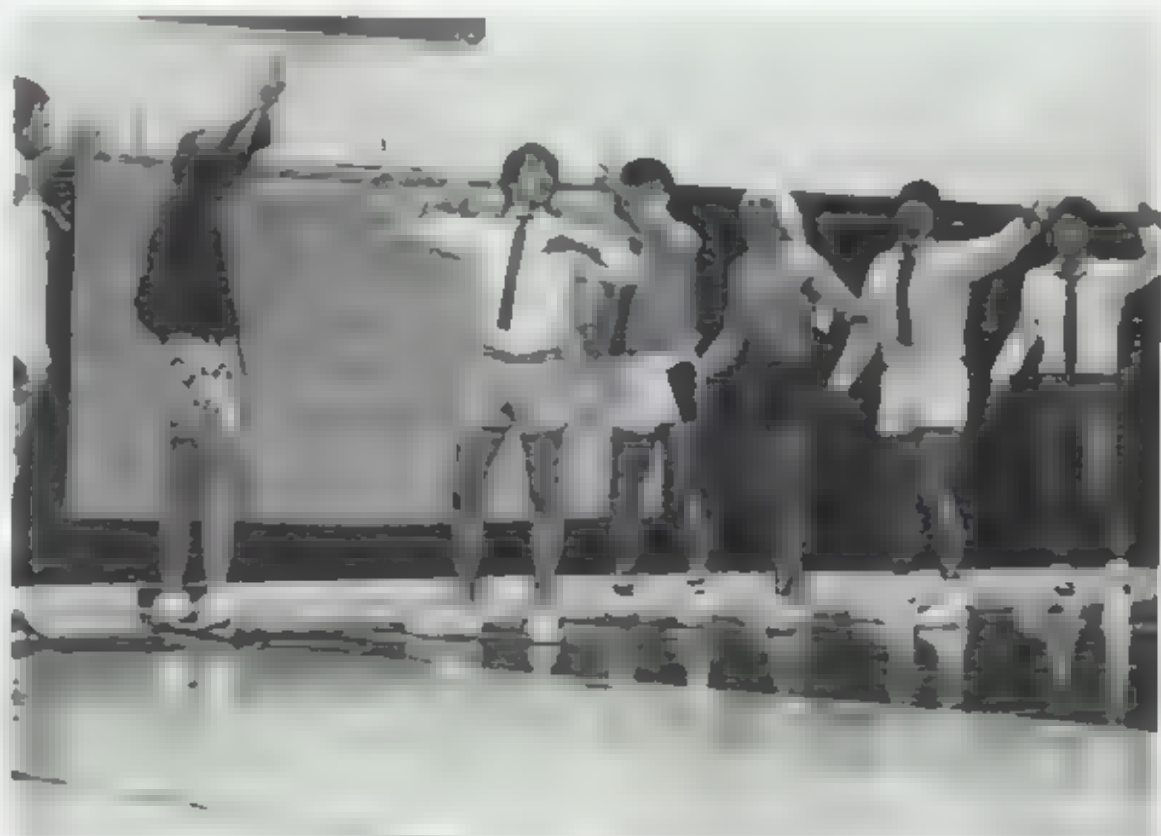
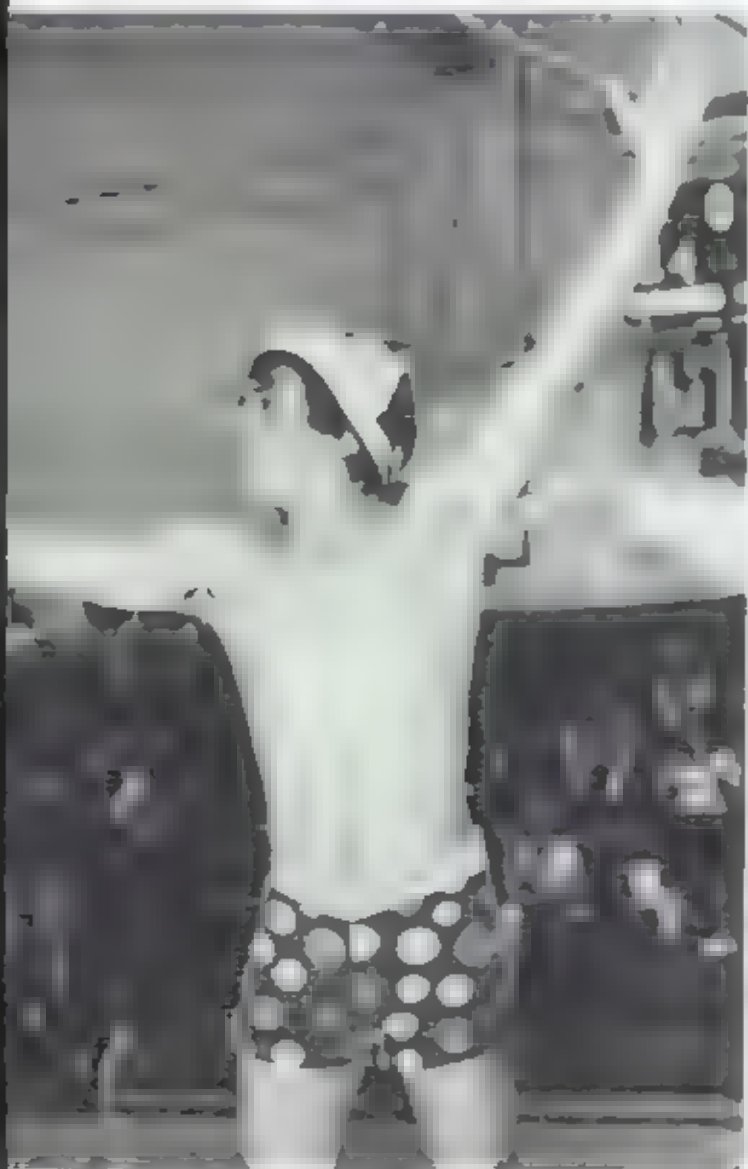
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1 Such precision like this is beyond compare. 2. Scott Wilson shakes "it" for the crowd. 3. Arms Left! The drill team performs at the girls basketball TOC 4 The crowd delights over an innovative move. 5. Steve Osegueda gets into some "heavy" air-guitar action 6. Jeff, I think this is a good place for a stick-up! 7. Organization and style are the key words



The "organized" Block'ettes were a new addition to the Spint Group. Displaying an over-whelming amount of grace and style, the group of guys delighted crowds with their innovative and original routine. The group performed at the annual Sports Spectacular and at the girls Tournament of Champions. Performing to AC/DC's "Shot Down in Flames," these guys showed that they were "more than HOT," and rivaled the established RA'ettes for the title of "best drill team at Rio."



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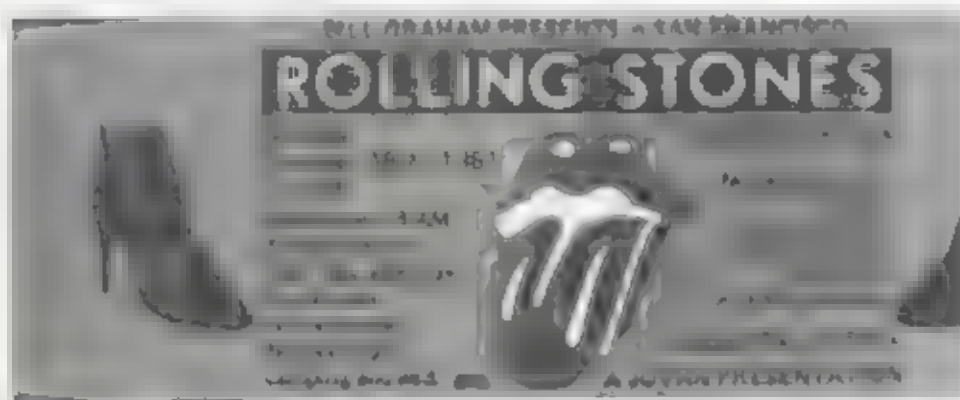


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# SPORTS



"Tis a lesson you should head — Try, try again. If at first you don't succeed, Try, try again!"

It was an interesting year for sports, with girls athletics capturing most of the "lime-light". While most Varsity sports (guys) met unually hard competition, the undergrads provided much enthusiasm and determination in an otherwise lackluster year. Though budget cuts have hurt the athletic program slightly, parents, staff, and students have joined forces to ensure a prosperous future for athletics at Rio.

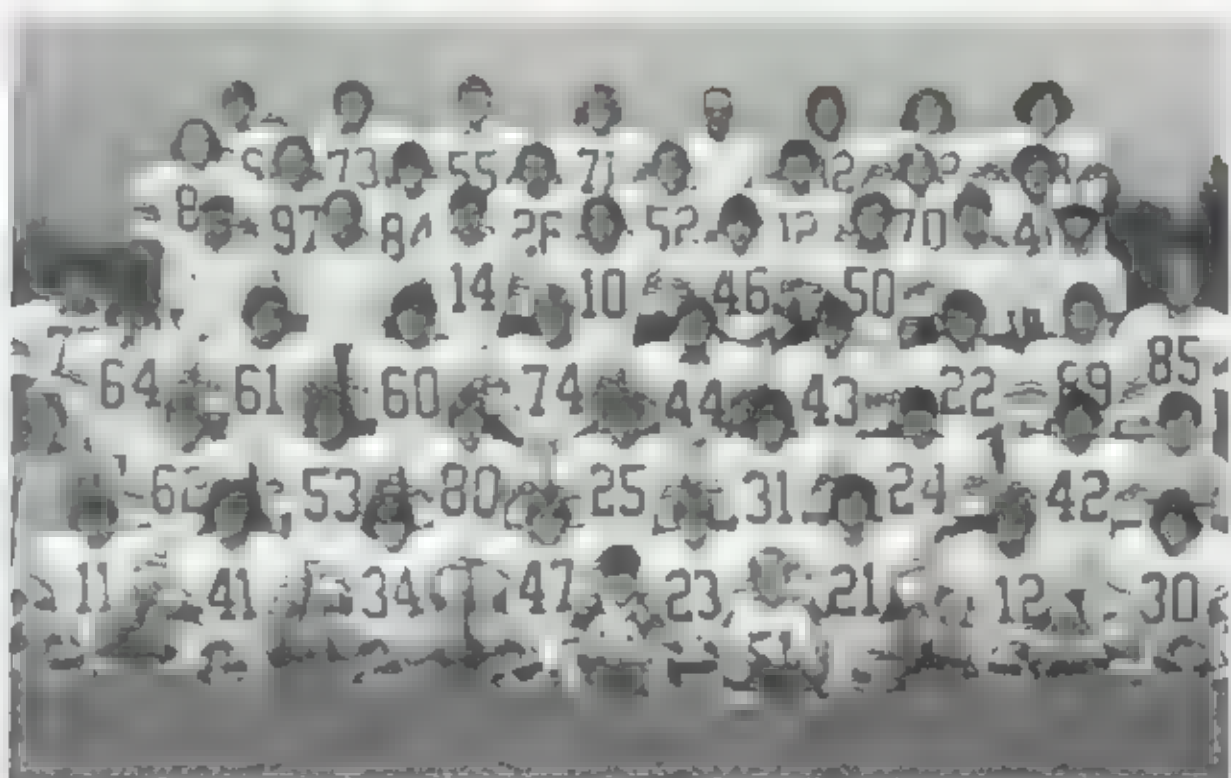
"To see and to be seen, in heap they run; Some to undo, and some to be undone."

This year's Varsity football team didn't do quite as well as it had been expected. Despite their more disappointing games, the team continued on with the encouragement of their head coach, Bob Wegsteen. The season included key losses to El Camino, Mira Loma, Elk Grove, and Valley, all of whom tied for first place in the CVC. Encouraged by Coach Wegsteen, the team did their best to get through a difficult season, which was plagued by changes in the coaching staff, unexpected game rescheduling, and a low number of returning starters. These obstacles turned out to be too much to overcome and the Raiders finished with an overall record of 2-7 and a tie with Mesa Verde for 5th place in the CVC





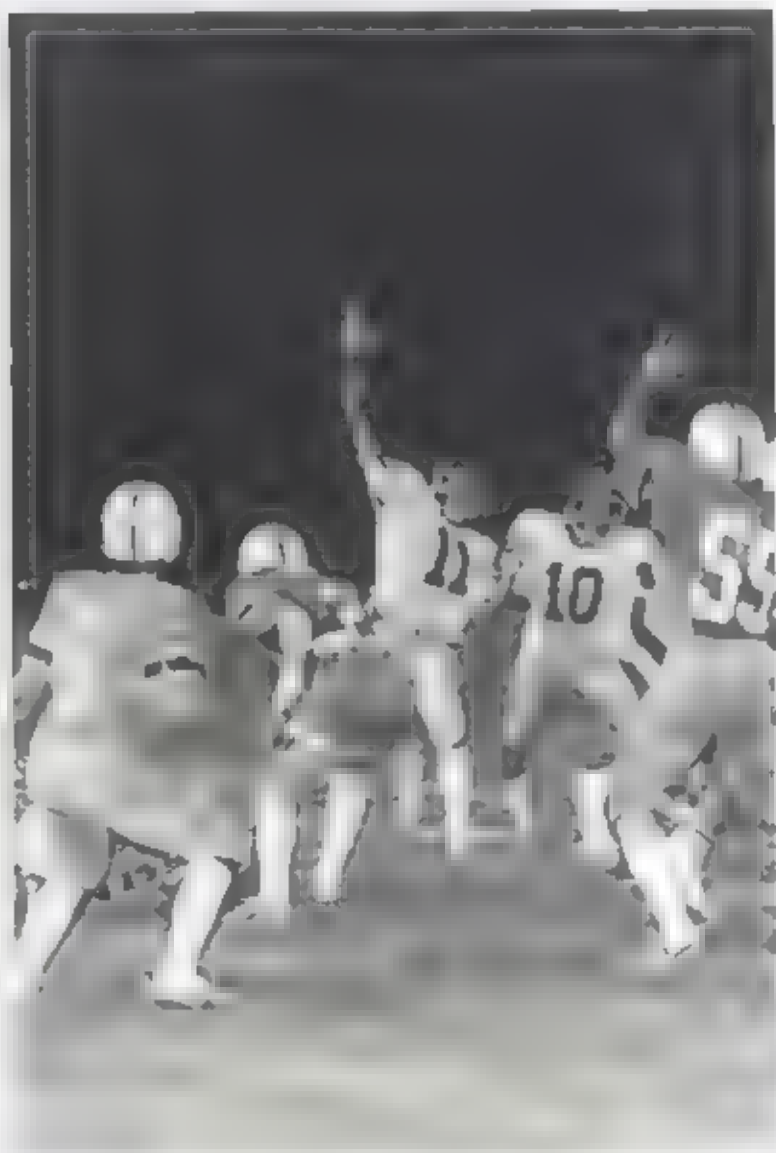
1 Catch me if you can 2 Ed Ashen finds an opening 3. Come back guys!  
4 I see we meet again 5 Where did everyone go? 6 Now what do I do  
with the football?

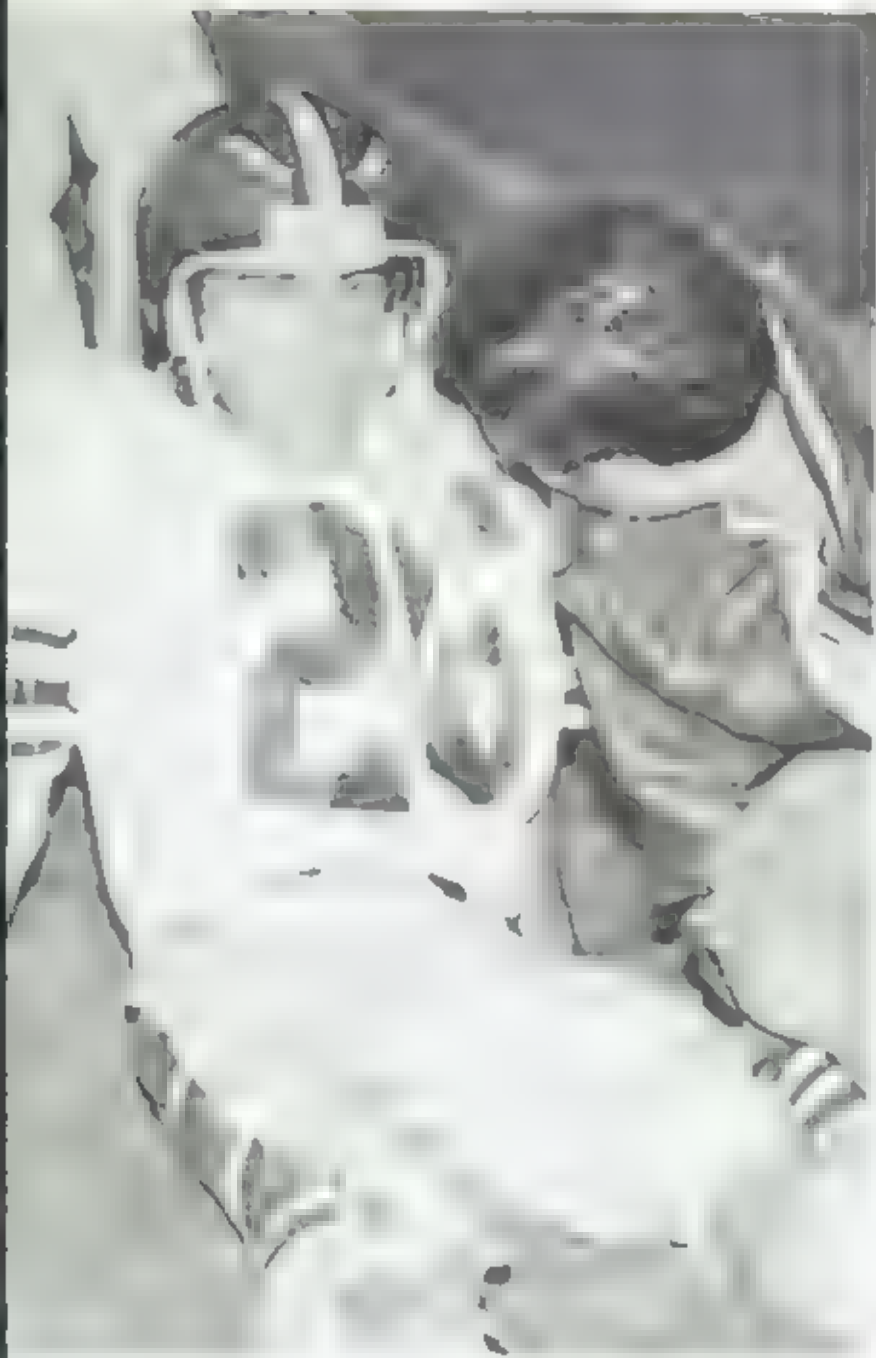


Top row (L to R) Michael Wright, Steve Osejeda, Bill Hagenau, Dave Ranker, Coach Hasbrook, Dave Horn, Pete Wroblecky, Dave Gaffney, 5th Row: Jason Wallace, Cameron Martinez, Andy Puffer, Chuck Ashen, John Barron, Bennett Terry, Mike Sparling, Mark Munneke, 4th row: Coach Wegsteen, Coach Hawck, Tim Harvey, Kevin Yamane, Phil Koehler, Dave Home, Coach Bears, Tom Wright, 3rd Row: Mike Ferry, Tony Costanzo, Brad Armstrong, Pat Emmert, Dave Wells, Leo Tasakos, Roy Crouer, Jeff Gavros, Spencer Awes, Charles McKerras, 2nd Row: manager Mike Grace, Bill Hutchet, Bob Lidster, Jay Summers, John Fobes, Mike Peluso, Kevin Denny, Dave Luna, Trainer Todd Rehfuss, Front Row: Ed Ashen, Gus Torez, Gar Sutton, Dennis Jacobson, Gary Chalburg, Mike Helmrich, Russ Maynerd, Sante Heath



Rio	6	Woodland	24
Rio	27	Ponderosa	34
Rio	20	Mesa Verde	0
Rio	7	El Camino	16
Rio	12	Encina	14
Rio	8	Valley	36
Rio	10	Elk Grove	6
Rio	21	Kennedy	15
Rio	7	Mira Loma	19





1 You guys are in the way 2 I wish the trainer would use mouthwash next time 3 It's time to put the speed on 4 Bombs away! 5 Smear the queer! 6 You still can't pull me down 7 Kevin Yamane running for a touchdown

1. Get out of the way ref or I'm gonna run you over. 2. Tony Evans drives hard for extra yardage. 3. Here, you take the football. 4. There s a party at my house tonight!



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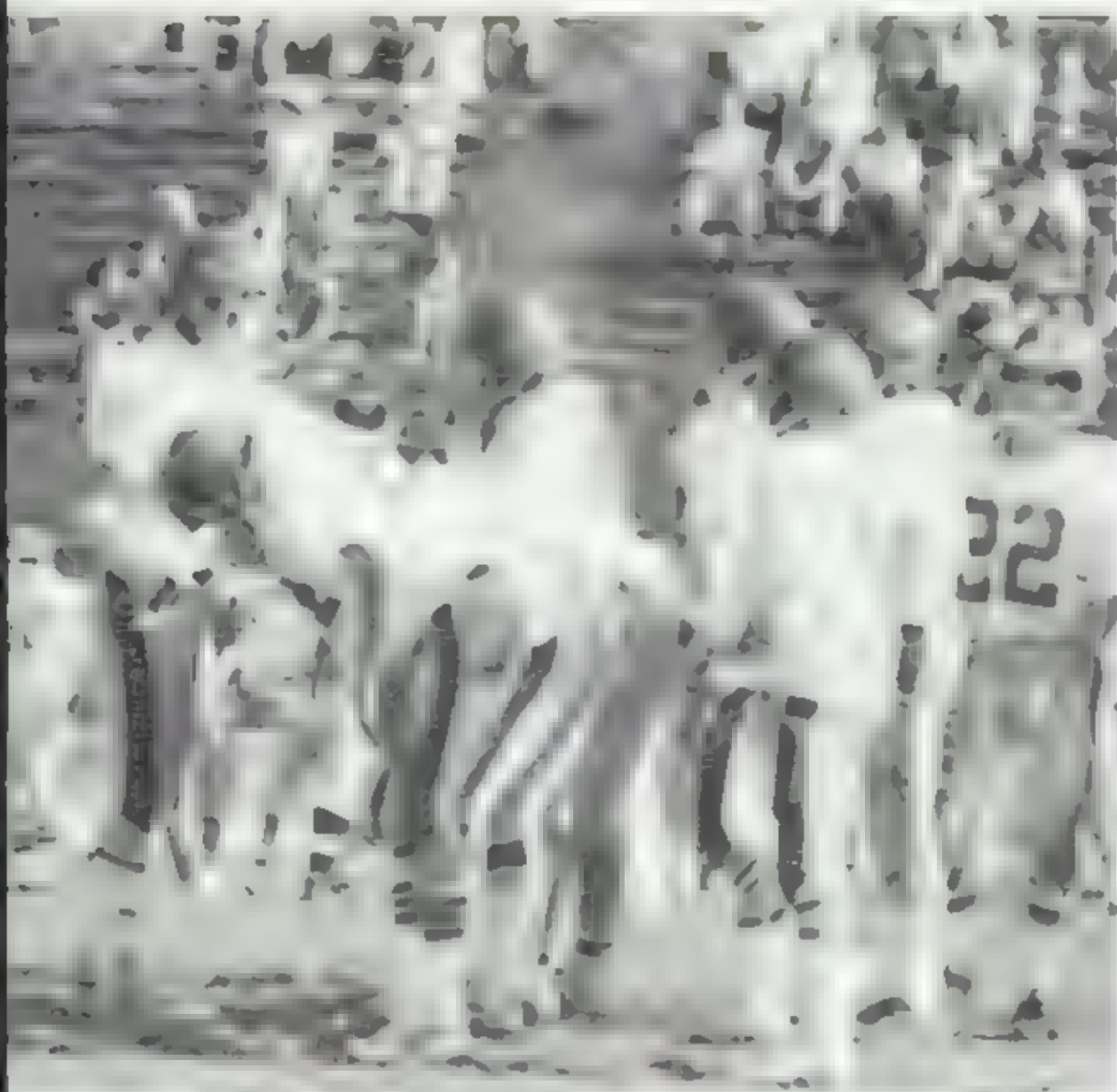
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### SCOREBOARD

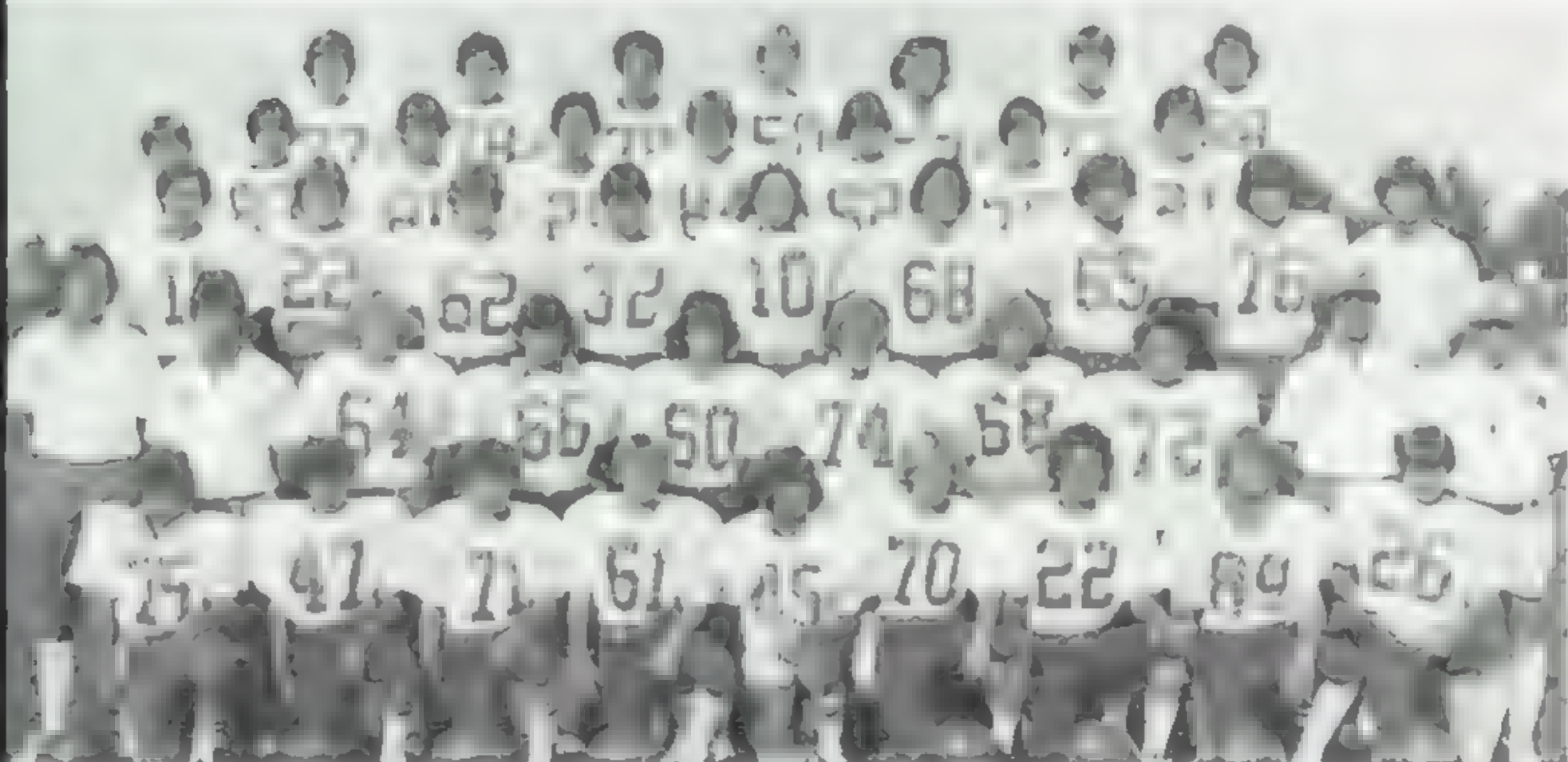
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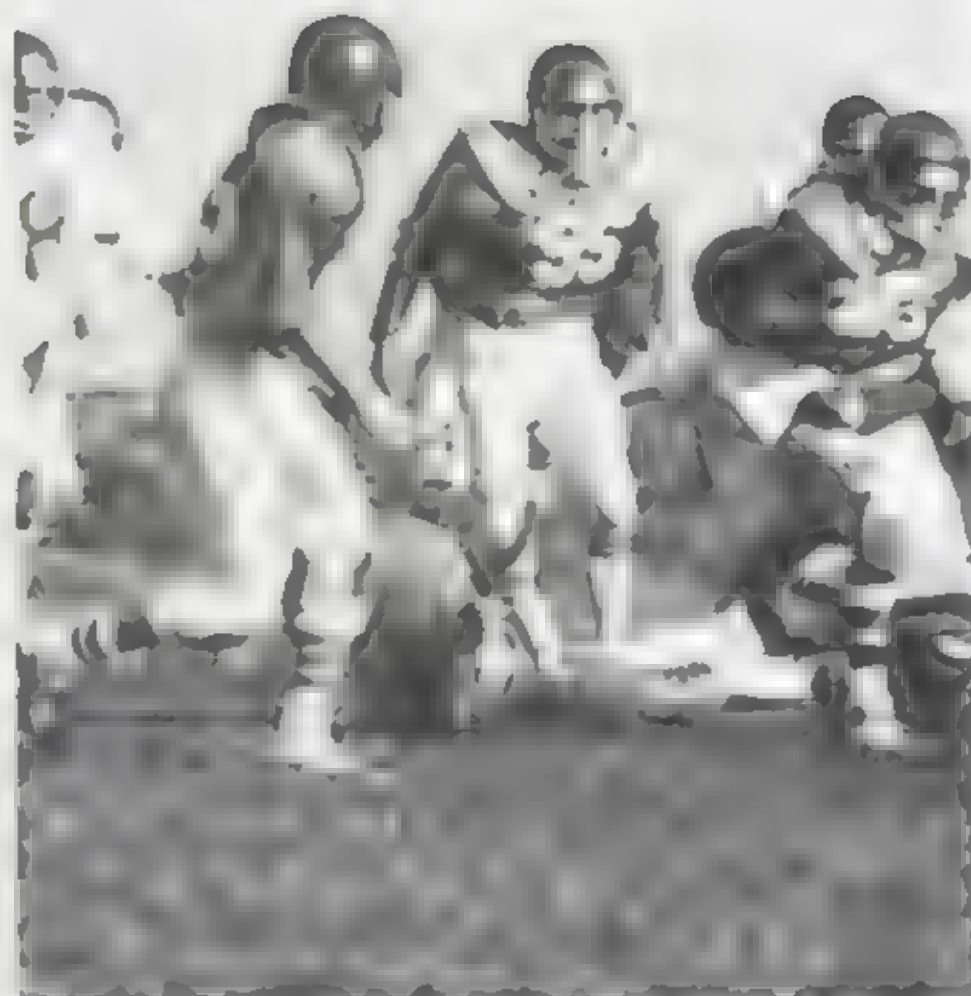


All throughout the tough J.V. Football season, the young team demonstrated excellent effort and good sportmanship. They put in a great amount of practice and enthusiasm into every game they played. Though they didn't place near the top of the CVC, the little Raiders showed much potential to being one of the tough teams in the area next year.

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Top left to right: Mike Madsen, Ed Goldstein, Dave Larsen, Bill Glade, Jeff Collins, Wayne Orvick, Craig Kouny. Fourth row: Ken Doyle (trainer), Doug SCarzel, Rod Jackson, Pete Chorich, Dave Murray, Chuck Bowers, Brian Munneke, Doug Woods. Third row: Matt Wright, Tim Nance, Sean Osburn, Gene Martinez, Jamie Coon, John Underwood, Rob Koveil, Brian Murphy, Andy Aldred (trainer). Second row: Coach Craig Fry, Coach Roger Skinner, Jerry Baird, Steve Sperber, Steve Floyd, Mike Peruccin, Daren Zeremake, Otto Bissada, Coach Doc Smith, Coach Jerry Kaeser. Front row: Dara Jahan, Paul Medina, Jim Walker, Matt Mikacich, Mark Rankin, Pete Kina, Tony Evans, John Larson, Chris Miller.



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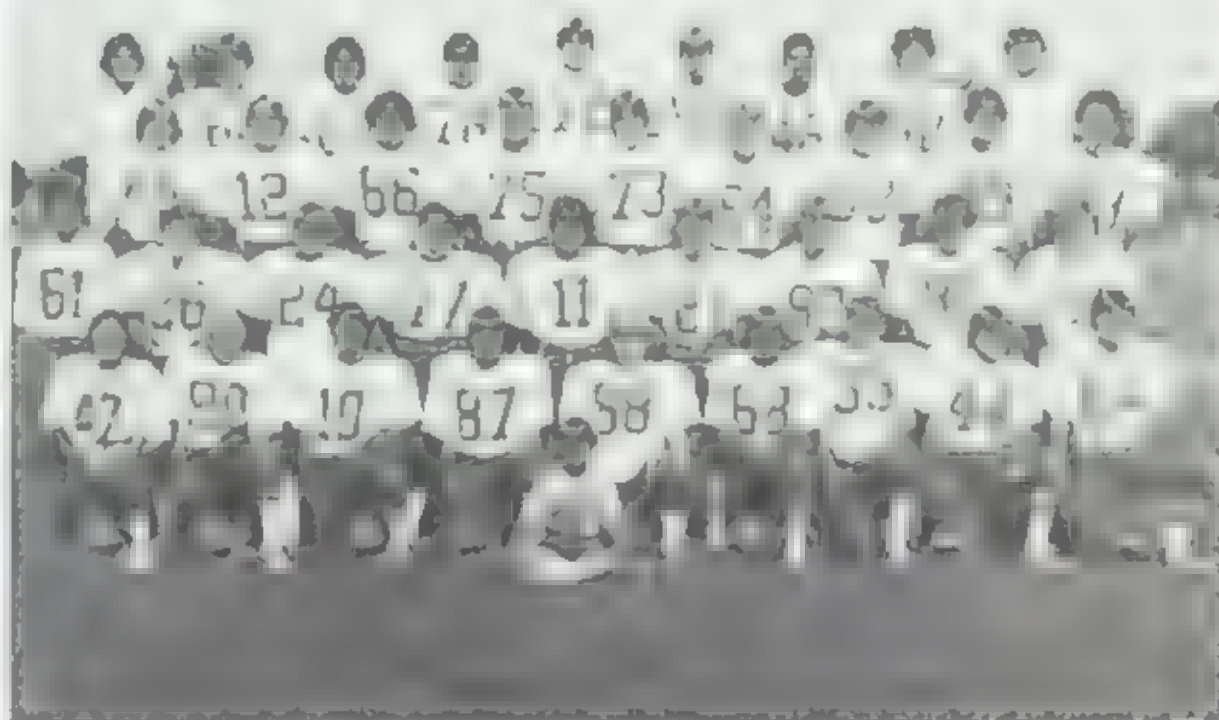
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They don't get much respect from upperclassmen...but they work just as hard as the older teams to excel. Yes, the freshman football team is definitely worthy of a lot more praise. Led by a new Rio coach, John Rinbach, and assistant coach Rex Bacon, they won some key games in the late season to place a respectable 4th in the CVC. On the grid, they were led by the efforts of Ken Olson, Brian Gaffney, Mike Terry, Peter Cardinale, and Most Valuable Player, Troy Ortego. We all have good reason to be proud of these future champs





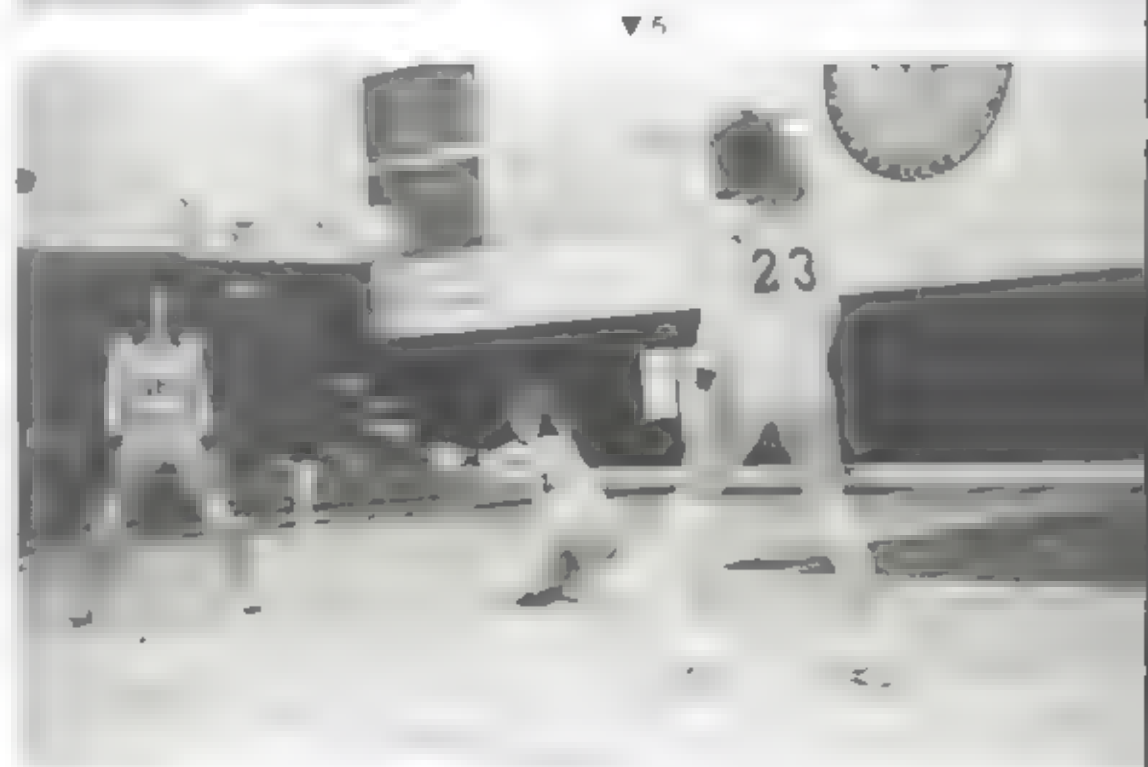
1. Don't just stand there. Help me! 2. Here I come. 3. Here I go again for another touchdown. 4. They're off and running. 5. What a great hand off. 6. Did you see that good looking girl go by?



Top left to right: Coach John Rimbach, Art Jenkins, Mark Hernandez, Ken Reller, Ken Olson, Dever Match, Gil Espinoza, Jake Gull, Coach Rex "Bubba" Bacon, Third Row: Brian Gaffney, Mike Niemel, Maury Anderson, Greg Fishback, Ryan Paulina, Duane Ayres, Bill Gear, Dan Epstein, Phil Jones, Second Row: Robert Berry, Troy Ortega, Jay Robert, Eric Harpy, Pete Cardinale, Casey Stoeltz, Eric Williams, Ken Thenault, Rich Hale, Bottom Row: Choong Kahn, Steve McElroy, Dan Yamane, Dan Merino, Jim Atkinson, Mike Anderson, John Wright, Steve Kassis, Fred Spencer



The new head varsity volleyball coach, Craig Lore, came to Rio with very little concept of the skill level of its athletes or the level of play in the C.V.C. When he finally saw what he had to work with, they did a lot of that, "WORK." Since Rio had such a short team, Coach Lore worked with the team to develop a fast offense, hoping to leave its opponents on the floor. Rio did just that as they captured second place in the C.V.C. behind Encina, which qualified them for the T.O.C. The Raiders then traveled to Los Banos for the San Joaquin section playoffs, losing in two games after leading in the first 13-7. The loss ended their season with a 11-6 record. Twinkle Argys, Rio's setter and team captain, along with middle hitter Beth McCarthy, and outside hitter Ellen Reiler were chosen to the all C.V.C. league team. At the fall awards banquet, Twinkle Argys was honored as Most Valuable player, Beth McCarthy and Cam Sahrn received Best Offensive and Defensive players respectively.





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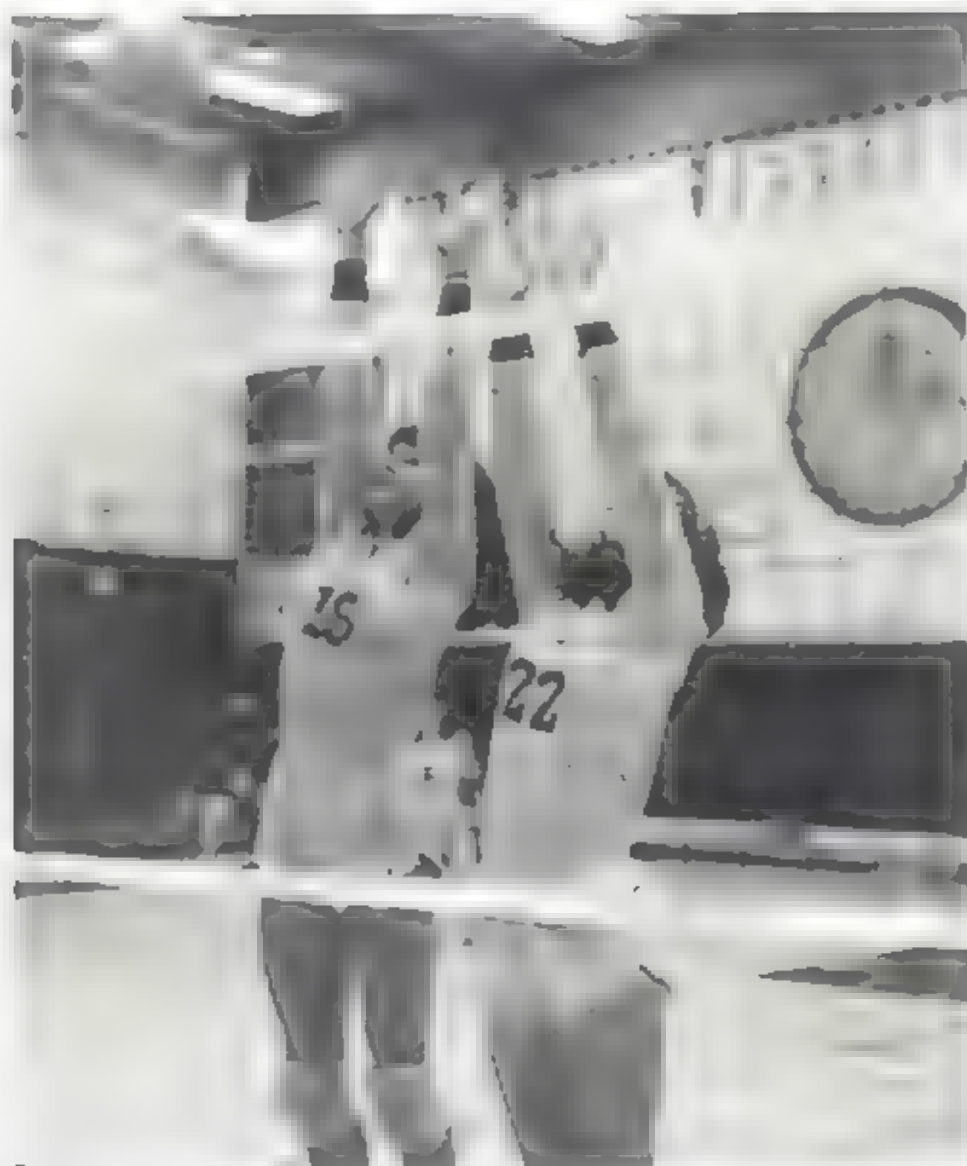


1. If you miss one more practice . . . 2. Ellen Reiler goes for the winning dink 3. Whitney deeply concentrates to make the perfect pass. 4. Stretch!!! 5. While showing her intense ambition, Cam Sahn bumps the ball to a victorious end 6. Come on girls, let's play some volleyball!

## Rio American



Back row, L. to R. Coach Craig Lore, Whitney Miller, Ellen Reiler, Beth McCarthy, Sandy Marks, Twinkle Argys. Front row, L. to R. Katie Sekul, Anne Olmsted, Cam Sahn, Dawn Lawson



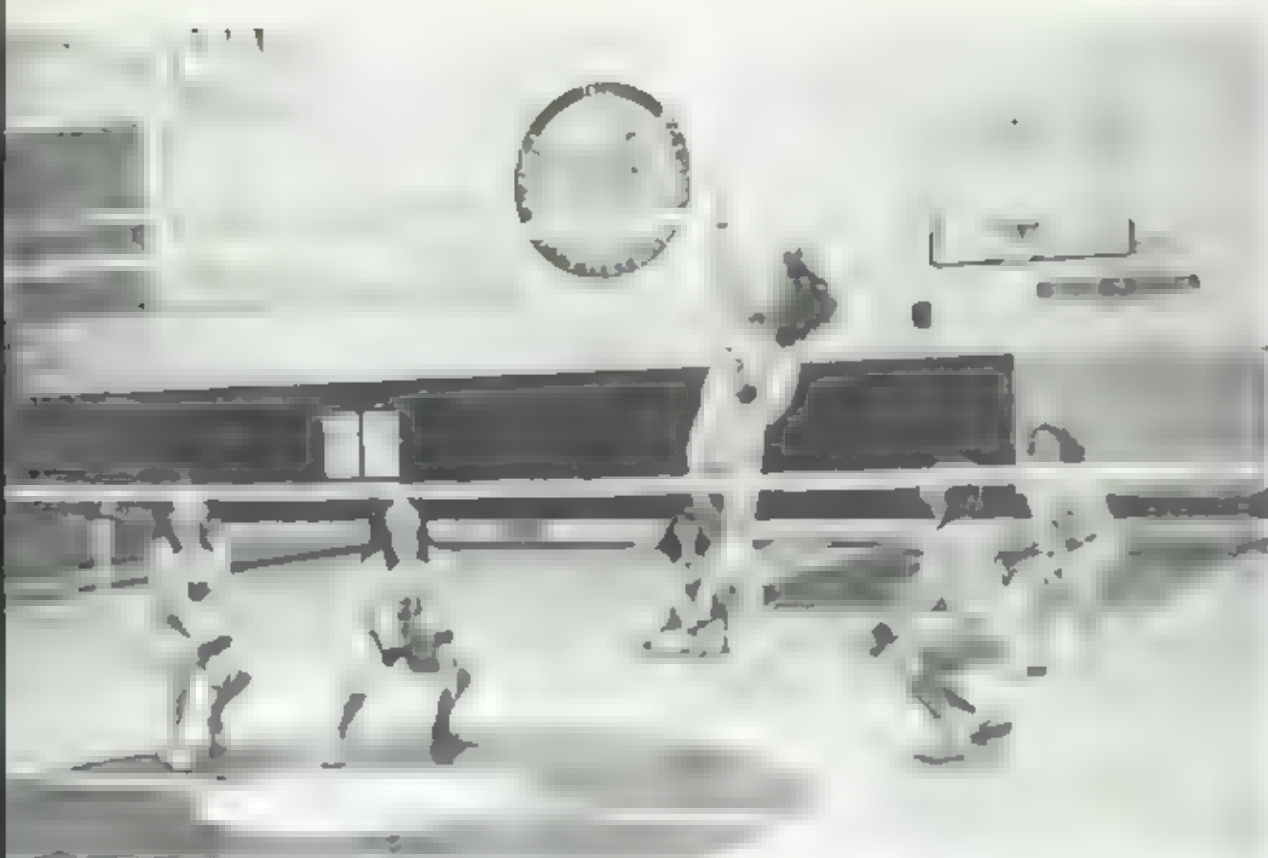
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1 Rio's tough defensive team members are always ready to block the ball 2 Ellen Reller falls to the floor as she diligently dives for the ball 3. The team is in awe, as they watch Beth spike the ball 4. The team gathers around Coach Lore to hear the new strategy 5. In this stressful situation, Beth McCarthy pulls through with a winning shot. 6 Something on the ceiling catches Whitney Miller's attention as she continues to hit the ball. 7. Twinkle Argys demonstrates her perfect form

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Everyday they were in the pool. They battled wind and rain before the sun even came up. They are, perhaps, the most dedicated athletes at Rio. Not too many people watch them or even follow them, but our water-polo squad definitely takes a lot of pride in what they do. Coach Mark Carrington stressed team spirit and togetherness, and the result was a strong 2nd place finish in the CVC and a berth in the sub-sections. Outstanding players included Eric Swanson, MVP Tim Mikulin, and team captain John Bayless.



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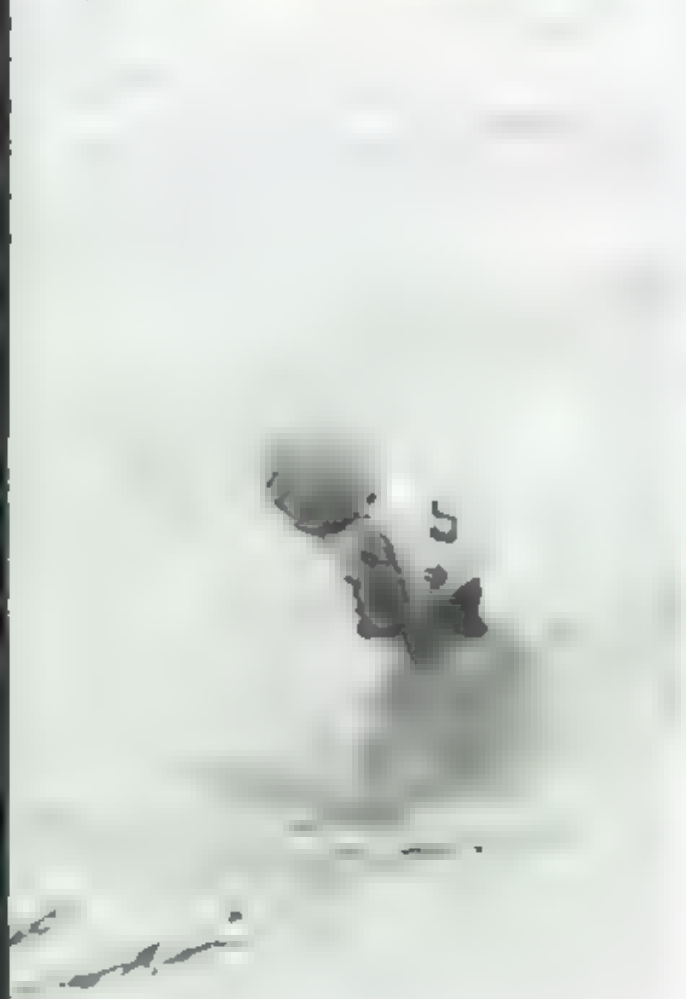


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1. Eric closes in for the kill 2. Brad Childers meditates during the time out  
3. Rio goalie foils scoring attempt. 4. Tim Mikulin prepares to score 5  
Vaumets provided the winning incentive 6. John Bayless calculates firing  
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Back row (L to R) Scott Wilson Brad Childers Marc Strauch Andy Bum Laura Thompson Cindy  
Fischer Front Row, (L to R) Coach Mark Carrington Eric Swanson Tim Mikulin John Bayless  
Lance Shrey, Sue Roberts, Ast. Coach John Wicker



1 Overcome by the sun 2. Vaurnets give the winning edge 3 Dana Grenz smells something fishy. 4. Shouldn't eat peanut butter before a match 5 Rita Frink is ready to kill! 6. What form



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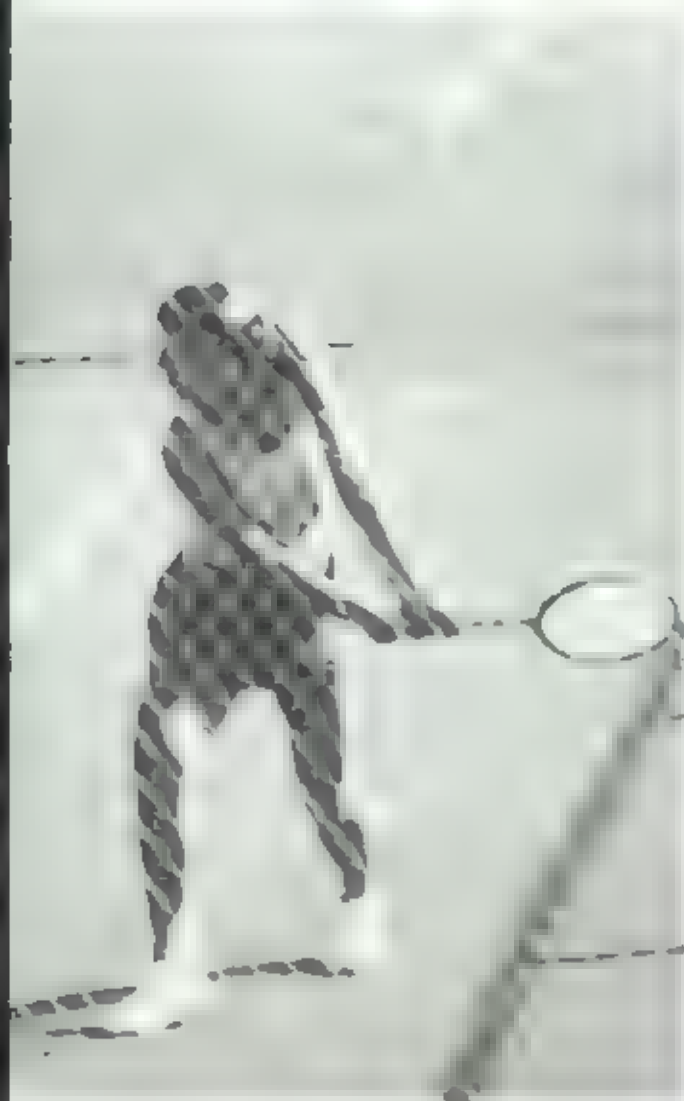
Rio	8	El Camino	1
Rio	9	Mesa Verde	0
Rio	7	Mira Loma	2
Rio	8	El Camino	1
Rio	9	Encina	0
Rio	9	Elk Grove	0
Rio	9	Encina	0
Rio	9	Mesa Verde	0
Rio	7	Mira Loma	2
Rio	9	Elk Grove	0





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Once again the Rio Americano Girls' Tennis team won the C.V.C. with an undefeated league record of 10 and 0. Alicia Sebastian and Rita Frnk went to the section tournament where Rita defeated Alicia and went on to win the section title



3rd row (L to R) Alicia Sebastian, Dianne Cassidy, Julie Trujillo, Robin Moore, Coach Pat Boehrer, Maggie Sekul, Kim Astorino, Risa Golberg, Rita Frnk, Kate Sekul, Nick Capatchi. 2nd row: Laurel Wace, Susan Bower, Dana Grenz, Amy Roberts, Suan Trujillo, Kristen Nielsen, Julie Denny, Johanna Mills. Front row: Dana Fisher, Sara McDouga, Mary McCubbin, Barbara Boehrer, Susan Wibur, Debbie Sjol, Holly Block.

The 1981 girls and guys cross country team had an outstanding season. These runners practiced long hard hours to become great! Thanks to the superior coaching abilities of Judy LaVergne and Clyde Huyck, the runners came away with victories in invitationals and league meets. Also, Rio sent more runners to the Section Championship this year than any other year. In addition to these achievements, members of the team had fun working together.







1. Oh, please! Let me win this race! 2. I wonder if she's interested in going out with me? 3. Let's see now, how we tie our shoe strings? 4. When will this race end? 5. It's Jay Wishorn, the \$6 million man, running

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Back row (L to R): Jerry Graf, Tim Tidyman, Coach Clyde Huyck, Don Hummel, Coach Judy Laverigne, Sanjeev Khapuri, Rick Sebastian, Dan Lea, Jim Reed, Gaen Davis, Peter Cooper. 3rd row: Peter Nixon, Pau Blond, Lenn Stachelek, Howard Parr, Sara Nelson, Peter Wisham, Jai Gosine, Pau Masak, Victor Davis. 2nd row: Matt Gilbert, Valerie Ham, Carrie Garst, Kathy Komisaruk, Maggie Parsons, Rebecca Chinn, Jeff Margolis, Andrea Margolis, Julie Barges, Petra Huyck, Mike Campbell. Front row: Jay Wisham, Ron Sustar, Shawn Hansen

What a pleasure to be back coaching! This year's cross country team was one of the highlights of my teaching career. The runners were gracious, hard working, considerable and loyal. After an eight year lay off from coaching, I was hesitant to come back and "get into it," but with the people on that team the transition was so much easier than I anticipated. Working with Judy LaVergne, coaching my Petra and the other fine people that made up the team, will always be a memory I will cherish.

Love the bone fone

Clyde Huyck



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1 You want me to run? 2 Julie Bargones shows the proper technique for sliding down a slide 3 Great! We have another chance to kickback and enjoy the sun 4 You chose Peter Pan over Skippy? 5 Jim Reed is running to another victory for Rio 6 Oh my gosh coach, I forgot the course for the race

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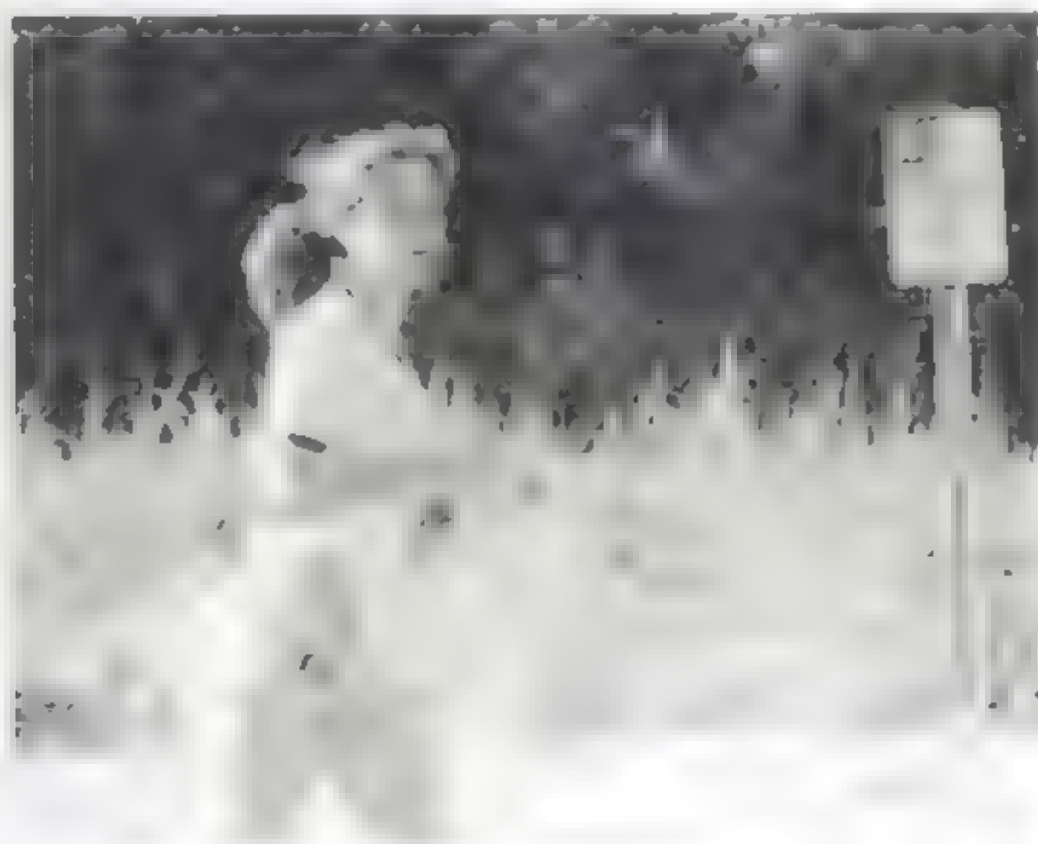
Cross country is probably one of the most rewarding of sports since each athlete not only serves as a team member but also runs to meet his/her own goals. During the season, the new runners soon lose that soft, coddled look and become strong and lean. They gain self confidence and know they are among the best of endurance athletes. They gain the mental toughness and discipline it takes to both compete and to run daily workouts regardless of the rain or heat. When it comes to competition they can choose any level from high school meets to the marathon. And finally, runners are runners for life; any time of the year, even after the season is over, I'll meet some of our runners out on the trail or at a local race. Why? Because they're hooked And for a coach, that is the ultimate reward

Judy LaVergne



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1 Ron Suster battles it off for first place. 2 What? No parking here? 3. I wish he would stop following me. 4. Paul Biondi racing his way up to first place in the Section Meet. 5. And they're off? 6. A couple of beers never hurt anyone before a race. 7. The race can't start now because first, we have to brush our hair.



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The season of 1981 proved to be a rough one for Rio's Varsity soccer team. They had an unrewarding record of 5-5, although it didn't reflect the true ability of the team. Rio was graced with many talented players among them were Mitch Gandy (MVP), Leon Shahanian, Michael Fife, and Wendell Hubble (each made all-league)

Bert Terry has high expectations for next year's squad. He expects them to dominate the league next year because Rio will have one of the oldest and most experienced team. Coach Terry said, "Next year is our year!"



### SCOREBOARD

Rio	13	Mira Loma	0
Rio	0	Elk Grove	3
Rio	2	El Camino	4
Rio	1	Encina	2
Rio	1	Valley	0
Rio	12	Mira Loma	0
Rio	4	Elk Grove	1
Rio	1	El Camino	6
Rio	0	Encina	1
Rio	2	Valley	0





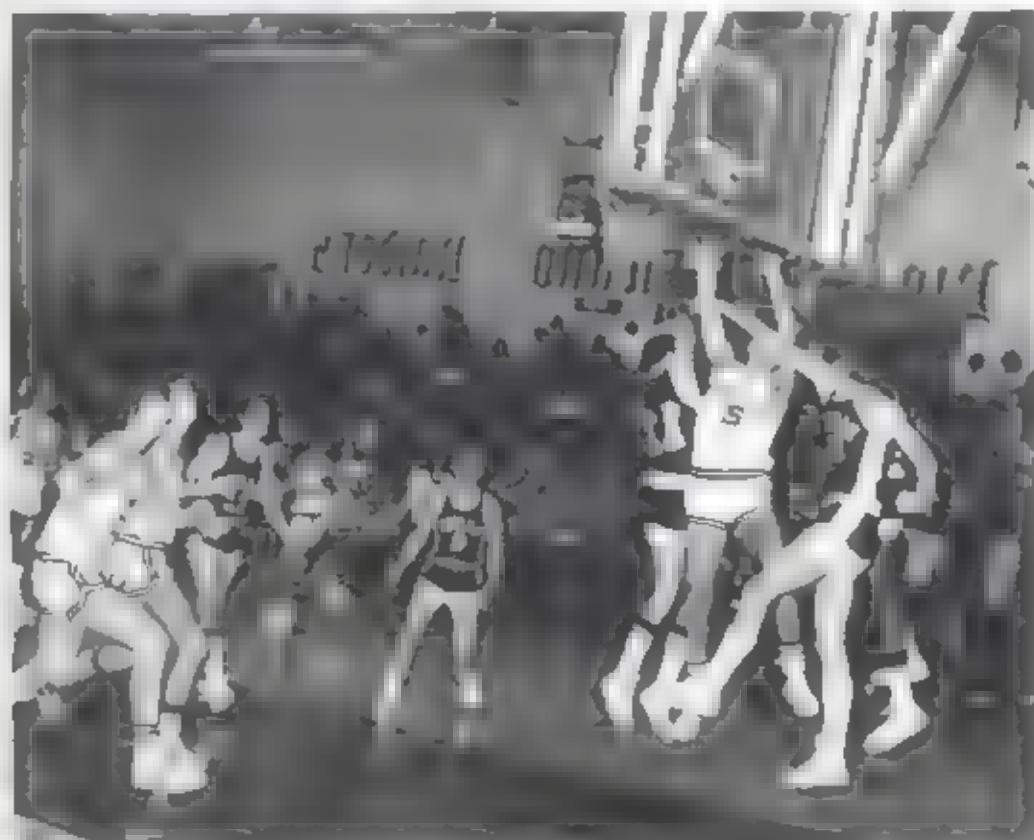
1. Oh, my head. 2. Mike Gandy exhibits superb style 3. Kevin Mathews takes a siesta in the sun. 4. Mitch Gandy going to score another Raider goal 5. Back off turkey 6. Oh no, I think I'm gonna fall



Back Row (L to R) Sam Sneed, David Denny, G 1 Joe, Marco Frazier, Herb Stanwick, Jai Gosine, Mark Tunge, John Kawakam, Darrin Sax, Coach Jeff Worab. Front row (L to R) Todd Rich, Whitey Roberts, Mark Kesmodel, Robert Bermeister, Randy White, Tim Robinson, Chris Cross, Lloyd Bell, Chris Kneppshild



This years varsity Basketball team had a tough season, with the CVC being harder than the Raiders had expected. Though their records were only 2 and 10 in league and 7 and 20 overall, the Raiders show good team spirit and enthusiasm. Senior players deserving recognition are: Tom Biondi, Mike Kenny, Mark McClure, Howard Parr, Charlie Ramatoci, Doug Walker, and Kevin Yamane.



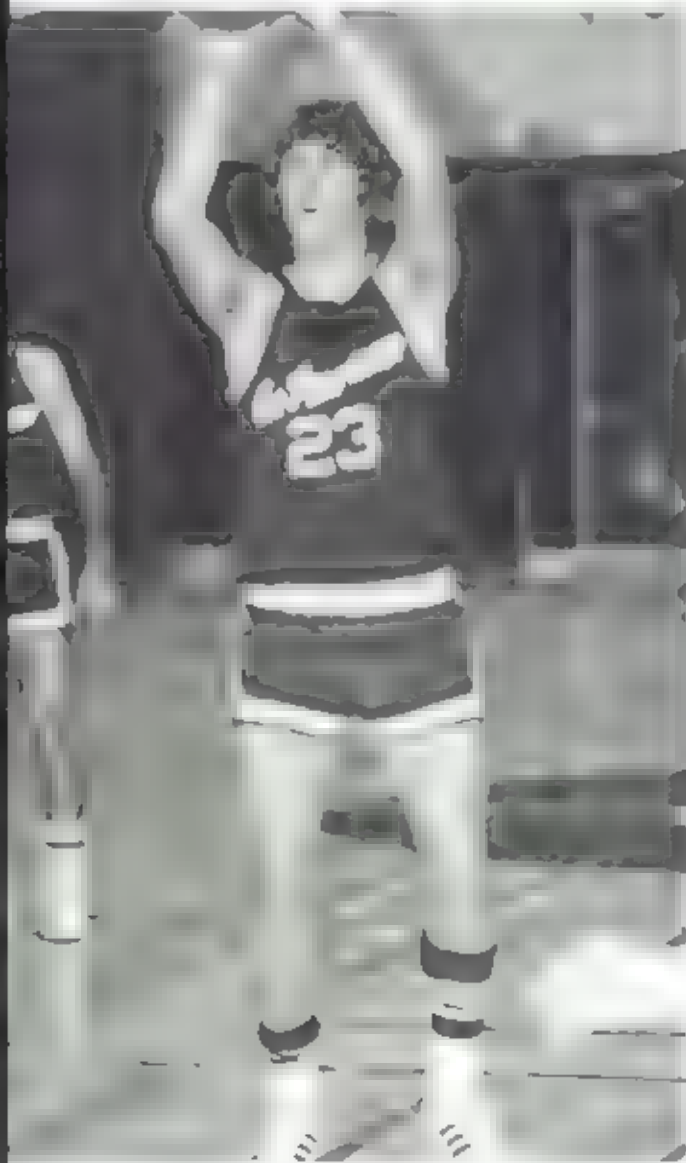


1 Tom Biondi stalks The Herd 2. Concentration 3. 'Opie,' on the ball. 4 Mark bustin' hoop! 5. Yamane lets one go. 6. This is a good place for a Stick-up



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Back row (L to R), Coach Smith, Ted Holt, Mike Kenny, Mark McClure, Ryan Tracy, Coach Stephens. 2nd row, Doug Walker, Greg Teller, Chris Keitges, Tom Biondi, Coach Polhemus. Front row, Howard Parr, Charlie Ramatci, Jimmie Overman, Jeff Cavros, Kevin Yamane



1. Matt Wright pops one in for two 2. If my friends could see me now, 3. Back off 4. Give me a chance, just one chance 5. Preparing for the decoy 6. Nick Puketza and Wayne Orvick display their street ball antics



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The JV team, led by Todd McIntyre, had many ups and downs. Although their record wasn't impressive, the Sophomore style consisted of fine team play and all-out hustle. With continued enthusiasm and work in the off season, this year's team will be tough in the years to come.



Back row, (L to R) Doug Woods, Paul Alexander, Wayne Orvick, Todd McIntyre, Bill Glade, Coach Pothenus. Middle Row Marco Frazier, Jamie Collins, Andy Aldred, Bobby Arnsdorf, Nick Puketza, Steve Spurber. Front row: Matt Wright, Darren Sax, Paul Medina, Kenny Doyle, Kevin Johnson.

The 1981 — 1982 Freshmen Basketball team is one to remember. Not only did they take second place in CVC, but also, the freshmen team broke over four school records. Some of which were: the best league record (10-2), the best overall season record (16-4), the best field goal percentage, and the most points scored in one game (95). In addition to all of these achievements, Rio defeated Jesuit 53 — 47. This year's Most Valuable Player was Dever Match who scored 325 points while achieving 181 rebounds. Team captain was Pete Cardinale. Special recognition should go to these players for being one of the best Freshmen Basketball teams Rio's ever had



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1. Little big shot 2. Traffic jam 3. This is a job for Kool-Aid! 4. Ready, aim, fire. 5. Bye, bye, birdie 6. Determination



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Back row (L to R) Mike White, Chris King, Jeff Kertes, Ken Olsen, Dever March, Jai Gosime, Art Jenkins, Dave Viega. Front Row Jeff Stargardtner, David Denney, Chris Kneppshield, Steve Neu, Mark Kesmodel, Jimmy Atkinson, Peter Cardinale. Coach Phil Oates, Assistant Coach Bob Bogan

1. Team work 2. Shawn Hansen cruises up court. 3. Whitney Miller goes for the free throw 4. Up, up and away. 5. Coach Bercastro gives the advice for the winning edge



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The defending Northern State champions Rio Americano entered the Northern State Tournament of Champions with an unblemished record of 30-0, ranking them number one in the state among Division II teams.

In the opening round at the University of Pacific, Rio faced Sir Francis Drake, only to fall 57-50 in a hard fought battle. This was Rio's first and only loss. Drake went on to win the state championship.

After easily winning the C.V.C. title, Rio advanced to the Sacramento section Tournament of Champions, surviving two close calls by Nevada Union 58-53 and Co-fax 57-46. Playing Oakmont in the finals, Rio won by seven, but the game wasn't as close as the score indicated.

Jennifer Hemmer was chosen tournament M.V.P. and teammates Beth McCarthy and Twinkle Argys were chosen to the All-Tournament team.

Beth led the team in scoring with 522 points and grabbed 268 rebounds, making her an all-C.V.C. League selection as well as Sacramento Union All City first team and Sacramento Bee second team.

Jennifer led the team in rebounds with 330 and was the second leading scorer with 506 points making her the Sacramento Bee's All-City M.V.P., a member of the Sacramento Union second team, and an All-C.V.C. League choice.

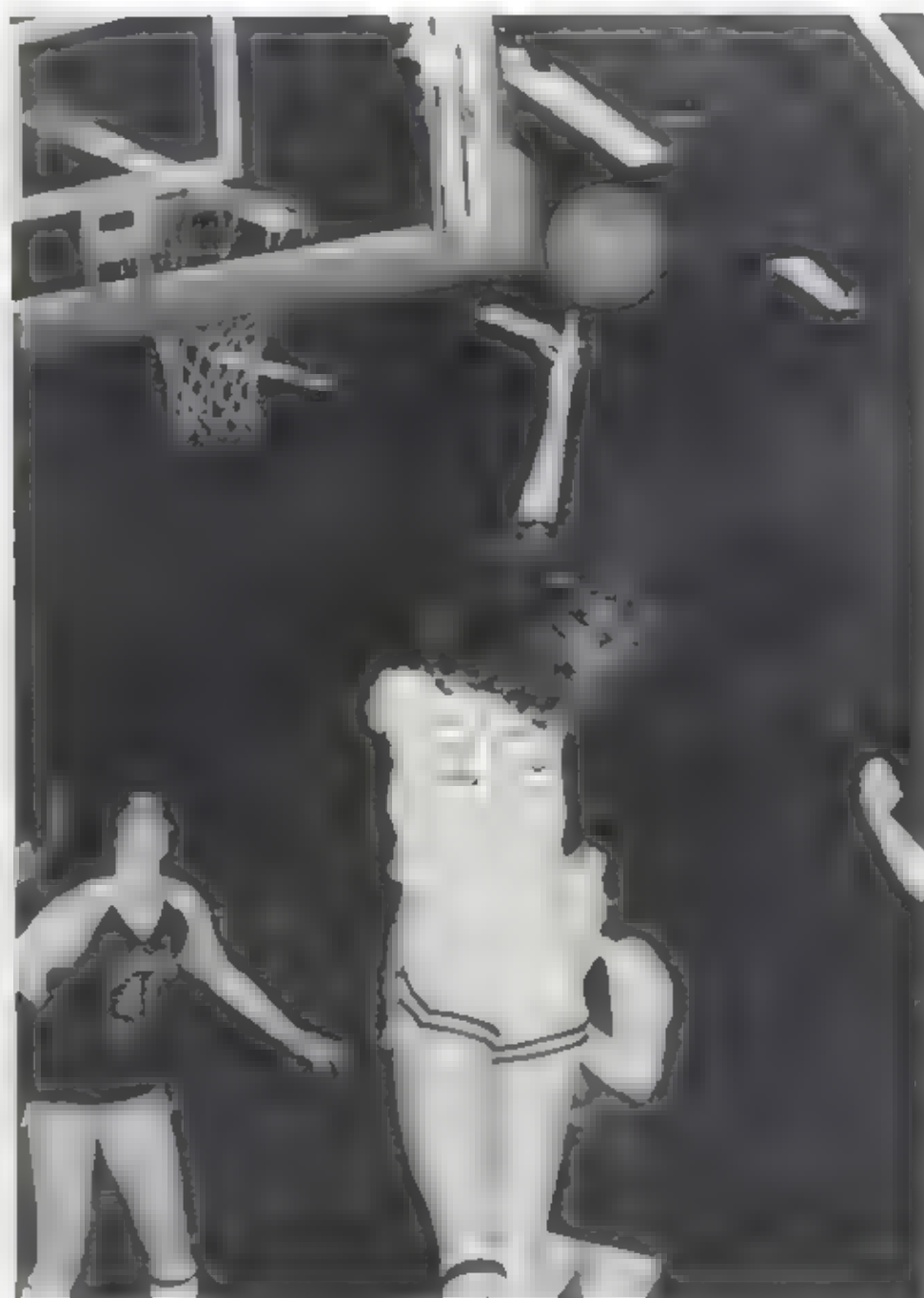
"Twinkle", led the Raiders with 206 assists and 154 points, was also chosen to the Sacramento Bee All-City second team along with receiving Honorable Mention by the Sacramento Union and was an All-C.V.C. League selection. Melinda Walker rounded off the front line with 293 rebounds and with 239 points. Whitney Miller, the other starting guard, was an All-Tourney selection at the Davis Tourney.

Coach Joe Belcastro contributes a total team effort, balance, and the unselfishness of everyone on the team to the success of a record season.



Standing (L to R) Whitney Miller, Twinkle Argus, Joyce Bacon, Jennifer Hemmer, Melinda Walker, Beth McCarthy, Kim West, Ellen Reiler, Shawn Hansen, Mary Lucca. Kneeling: Kris Kirk, Coach Joe Belcastro.





## SCOREBOARD

Rio	70	Mira Loma	29
Rio	77	Encina	49
Rio	66	Valley	31
Rio	77	El Camino	48
Rio	65	Elk Grove	30
Rio	67	Mesa Verde	36
Rio	80	Encina	43
Rio	84	Mira Loma	33
Rio	72	El Camino	37
Rio	66	Valley	50
Rio	74	Elk Grove	25
Rio	69	Mesa Verde	24





1 Beth McCarthy works from behind 2 Jenny Hemmer shoots a jumper over the defender 3. The team hustles back on defense 4 Close Encounters of the 4th Kind 5 Melinda Walker banks it off the backboard. 6 Eilen Reier demonstrates the perfect defensive stance?

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1 Keep your eye on the ball 2 Bonnie Gessford reaches 3. They call it natural talent 4. Julie Bargones takes advantage of the situation 5.  $22 + 14 = \text{TROUBLE}$  6. Marcia Elfenbaum breaks through the pack and dribbles around the back



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### SCOREBOARD

Rio	47	Mira Loma	38
Rio	51	Encina	33
Rio	51	Valley	38
Rio	66	El Camino	18
Rio	70	Elk Grove	33
Rio	72	Mesa Verde	33
Rio	60	Encina	22
Rio	44	Mira Loma	20
Rio	58	El Camino	31
Rio	62	Valley	57
Rio	65	Elk Grove	42
Rio	79	Mesa Verde	20







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(L to R) Karen Maurer, Julie Bargones, Sue Geist, Barbara Boehrer, Linda Reed, Bonnie Gestford, Leenie Ezrey, Alison Damant, Lynn MacKenzie, Marcia Eifenbaum, Kim Middlekauf

1. Lynn MacKenzie flies down court. 2. The panic situation. 3. Julie Bargones slips by lancer defence. 4. Switch to plan "B". 5. That's as far as you go. 6. Sue Geist tops for two. 7. Bonnie Gessford on the line.

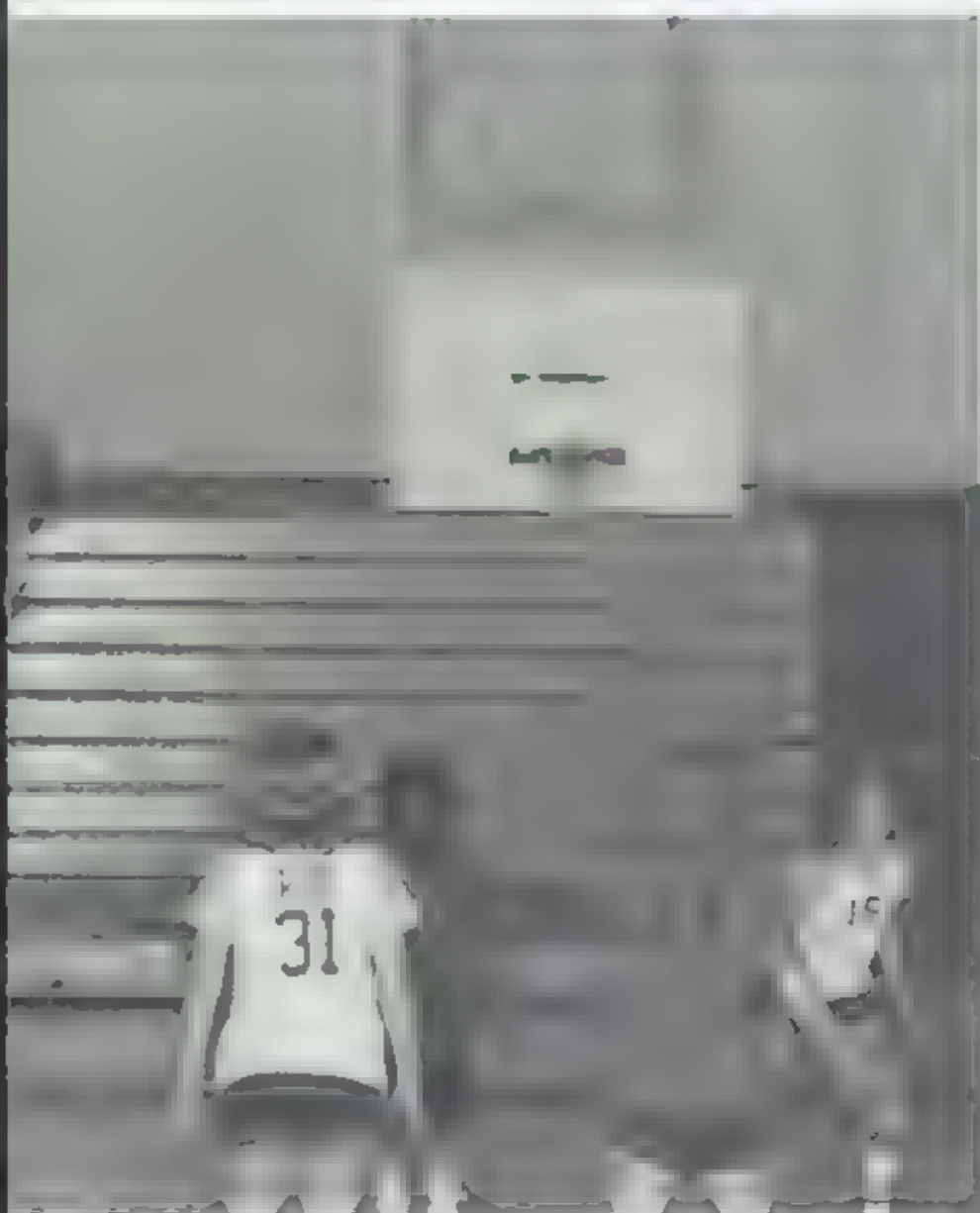


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The Datsun 280 ZX, the Philly 76ers, and the girls' J.V. Basketball team all have one thing in common . . . They're **AWESOME!** Yes, the girls' J.V. Hoopsters had another incredible, undefeated year and increased their school game records to 78 and 0. These girls displayed the unique ability to play as a team, and in so doing, captured the C.V.C. league championships. Sue Geist and Linda Reeds made the all-league team, while Alison Damant, Lynn Mackenzie and Julie Barges received honorable mention. Each player was a valuable asset to the team. Their individual efforts molded into championship material. This year proves Rio's outstanding reputation in girls' basketball is correct. There's one word that describes this team **Hot!**

We can honestly say that the Rio guys tennis team is a Sacramento dynasty! Rio is lucky to have such a select group of quality tennis players. Although they lost a couple of matches, due to illness and injury, they dominate the C.V.C. Bruce Anapolski and Darryl Lee, who is Rio's number one player and has been ranked nationally, have both been great assets to the team. They had a fantastic record this year which makes them the champion team that they are. Although a lot of the exceptional talent will be graduating this year, there is a surprising amount of quality among the underclassmen. They have had an exciting year and are looking forward to continuing Rio's tradition of being number one in the next few years.



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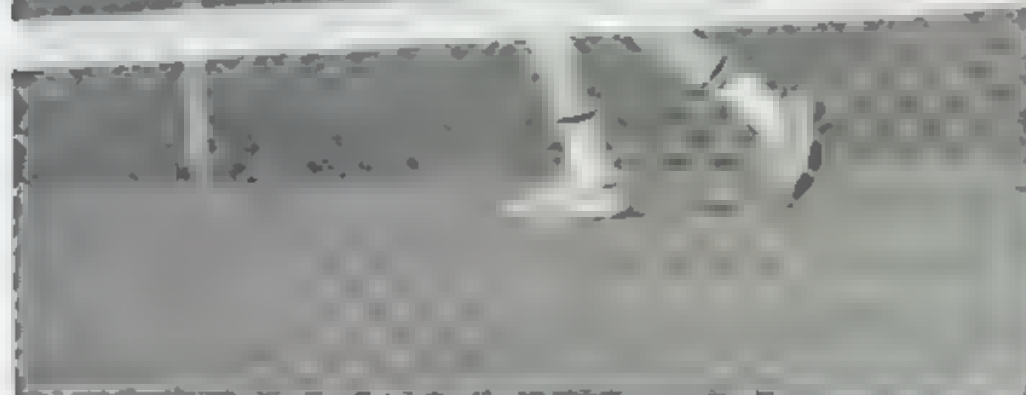
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1 You see, a star like me would never do anything like that! 2. The determination of Darryle Lee. 3. Captain Miles shows his styles. 4. Champion Coach Chuck Gebhardt anticipates another Raider victory 5 Miles Earlich and Jerry Graff set the odds for the upcoming match. 6. See I can beat you even on one leg



Back row (L to R), Gaetan, Gorremons, Rick Sebastian, Rob Lang, Jerry Graff 3rd row, Craig Simmons, Sanjeev Kripilani, Tim Tanaka, Al Wickers, 2nd row, Allen Caplan, Dave Matlof, Marco Frazier, Jeff Stargarder, Coach Chuck Gebhardt, Front row, Richard Wong, Bruce Anapolsky, Miles Erlich, Darryl Lee, Tom Armstrong Missing Bret O'Rourke, Jeff Sebastian



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1 So how much you want for it? 2. Come back here you fuzzy wuzzy ball 3. The "cool" walk demonstrated by Jeff Sebastian 4. Look everyone, I can hold the racket all by myself 5. Tim Tanaka reaching for the stars. 6. In Jeff Stargarder's spare time, he's a magician. Notice the quick hands, where is the racket? 7. Come on Al give me some private lessons



Varsity baseball 1982 was an interesting year. Starting out on a rainy note, most of the games in the early part of the season were cancelled. This didn't stop the Raiders enthusiasm! The team had a few losses and several wins. The proud attitude of the players made the entire season worthwhile







1 Why do I have to do dirty work? 2 Six big Indians all in a row 3 Chris Kertges doesn't see the humor in this situation. 4. Mark McClure showing the "right" way to pitch 5. You want to know how my love life is? 6. The "ponderer"

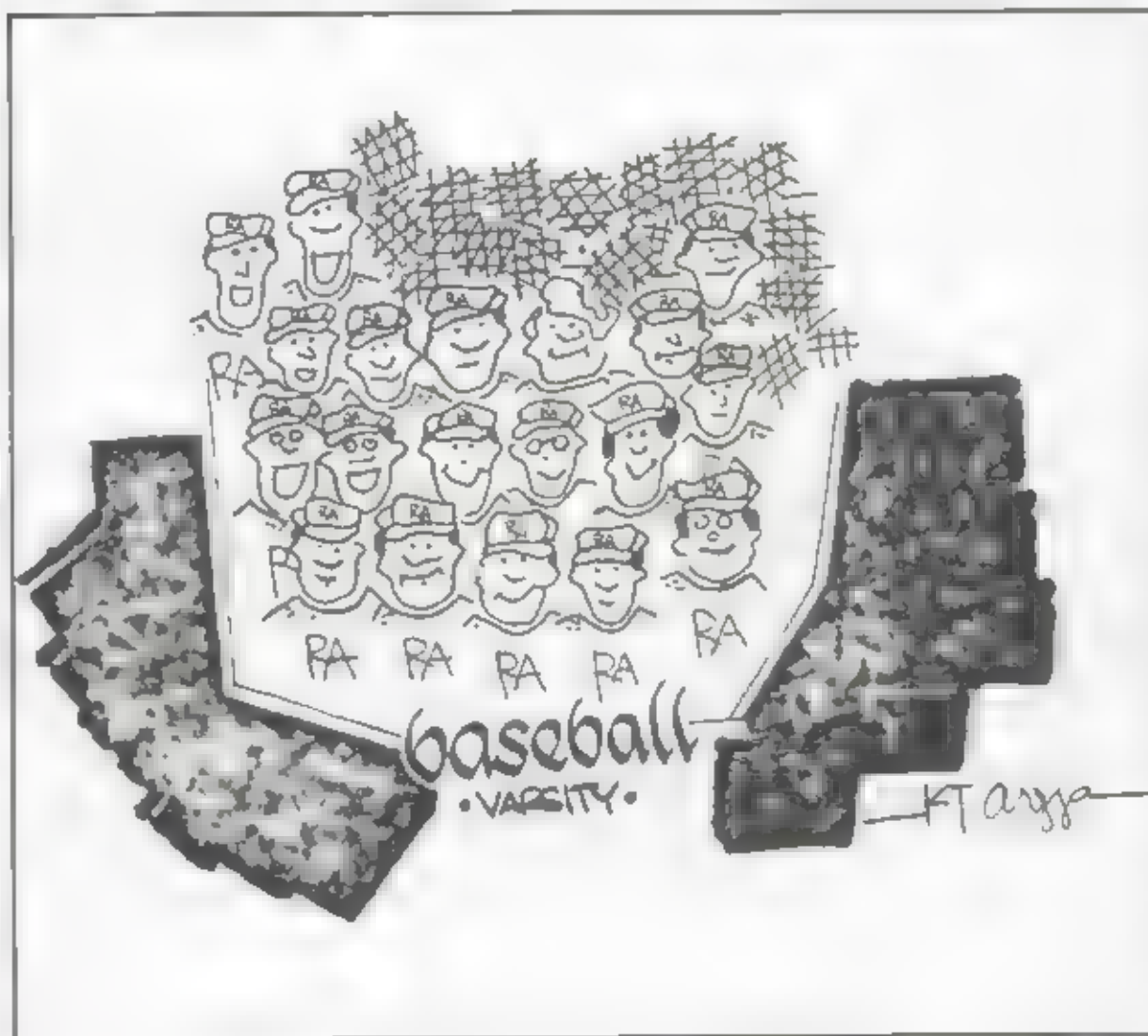
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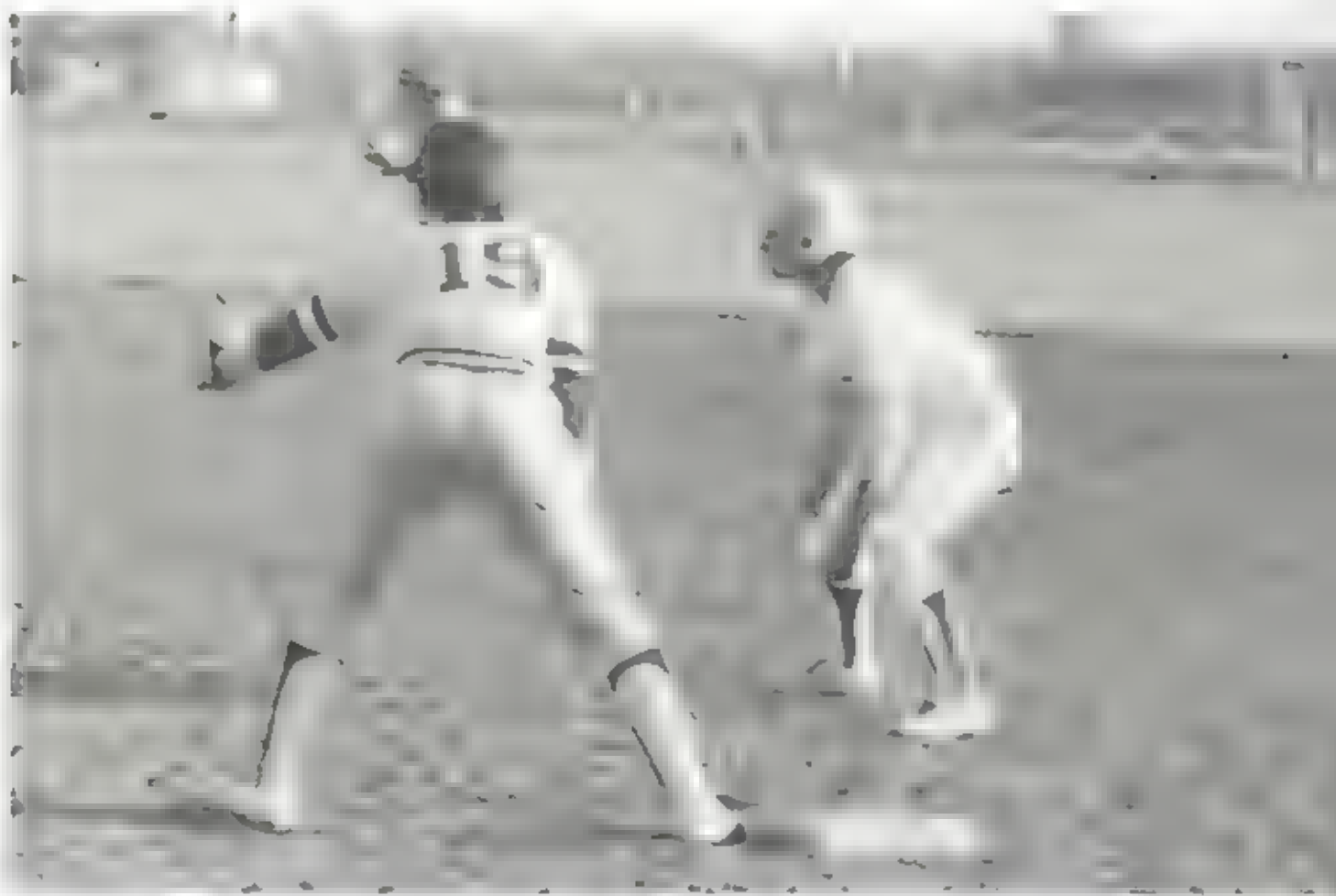


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Back row (L to R) Dave Horn, Mark McClure, Ron Stefan, 3rd row John Fobes, Kip Rahe, Babe Ruth, Coach Kaser, Mark Fisher, 2nd row Pete Nixon, Ed Ashen, Dave Wells, Chad St. Gall, Doug Walker, Charlie Ramatic. Front row: Chris Kertges, Tony Costanzo, George Brett, Anthony Osburn, Jeff Cavros

1. Going for the steal. 2. The ball went that-a-way 3. Sneaking behind the back. 4. Damn Gophers!! 5. The bunt. 6. Forgot my chew, coach



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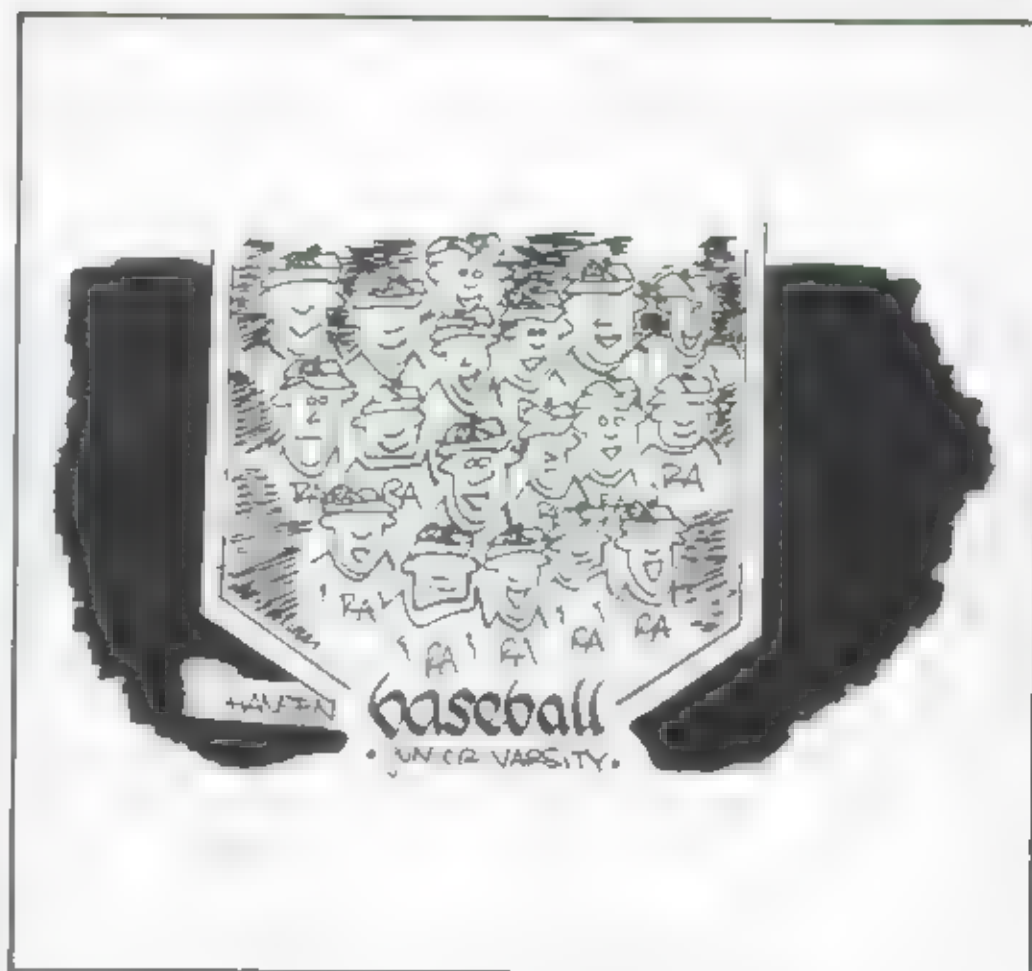
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The J V batters had another season filled with many impressive wins. They began the year as a bunch of talented players and ended the year as a talented team. Hard work and team spirit kept the players together and helped the team to get through those long nights of extra innings. These players will be the all-stars of the future.



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Back row (L to R) Nick Puketza, Steve Homing, Todd McIntyre, Ken Doyle, Ken Olsen, Andy Aldred, Colfax. Middle row: Paul Medina, Peter Rose, Pete King, Darren Sax, Matt Wright, Sean Osburn. Front row: Chris Miller, Doug Woods, Gaylord Perry, Scott Gaston, Brian Munneke

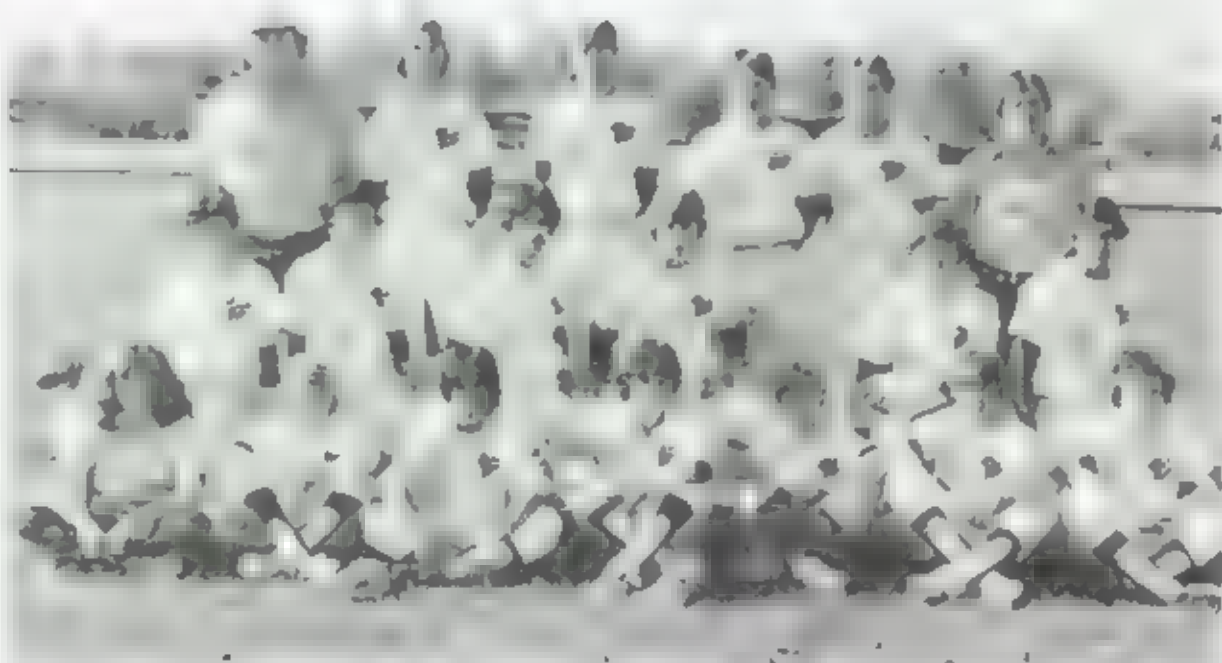
1. Please, no autographs today 2. Acrobatics at its best 3. Think you're pretty bad since you made it to first base. 4. What pitching form 5. Ten little indians all in a row 6. I'm waiting







Once again this year, Rio's spirited freshmen brought alive America's favorite sport, baseball! All of the many exciting participants enjoyed a fun year as they got ready to progress to the junior varsity level. As they grew in experience, they were very competitive. Learning from their errors, they have become a mature and thrilling team. They played many tough games and did very well. Fortunately for Rio, they created a number one reputation which, hopefully, they will continue next year.



Back row (L to R) Coach Rex Bacon, Jeff Keitges, Devor Match, Ken Reier, Dave Shupe, Coach Rimbach. Middle row: Troy Orleaga, David Denny, Peter Cardinale, Jim Davis, John Craike, Dave Viera. Front row: Marcia Anderson, Mark Kesmodel, Carlos Yniguez, Steve Kasis, Chris Knepshield, Jay Roberts, John Tousley

1. "Bench City" 2. Julie dribbles through her legs. 3. Coach Terry checks the ball for holes. 4. Are you kidding, she didn't kick her 5. Go team. 6. The soccer march 7. Get with the program





Our fantastic girls soccer team had another victory-filled year. To start off the season, they were very proud of defeating two top ranked teams, Encina, and El Camino. They went on to beat many other tough teams throughout the season. Amazingly, the team is extremely young. They have more skill than most teams and are expected to be champions again in upcoming years. They were a tough team and did a fantastic job!!!

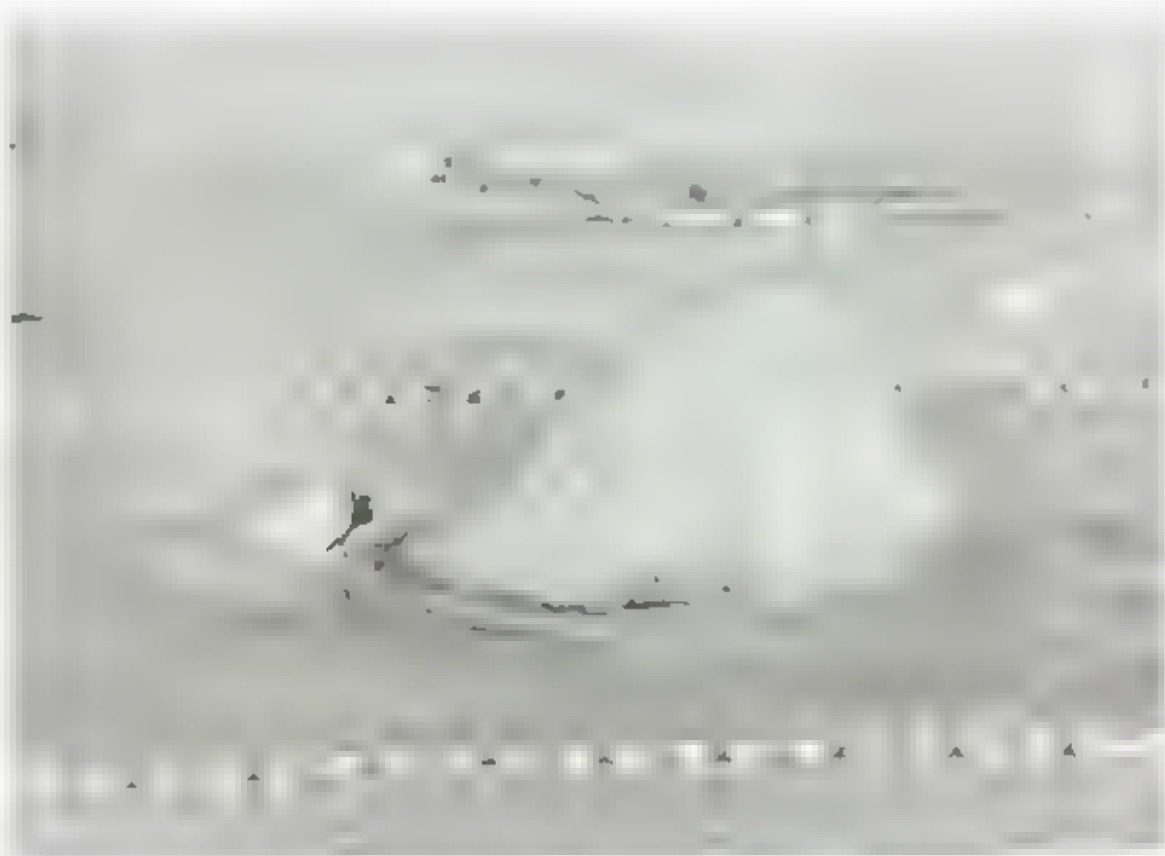


Standing (L. to R.) Coach Bert Terry, manager John Shorich, Julie Denny, Laurie DeFried, Heather Schachter, Dianne Cassidy, Jennifer Rennick, Hilary Bays, Leslie Mehn, Brook Defer, Coach Jeff Worab. Kneeling: Mia Moreno, Chrissi Tanaka, Julie Bargones, Monique Beeber, Diane Ford, Wendy Mauer, Karen Vaupel, Julie Matsumoto.

*I am so proud of my girls and their hard work. They are going to be champions next year!*

*I wish I could be with you guys  
love Jennifer Rennick*

1 I hope I don't hit my head against the wall 2 Ladies, take your positions 3 Frozen stiff 4 I get tired just watching that guy 5 Boy it's sure cold! 6 Dave Kihn concentrates on his swimming strategy







The powerful Rio Americano swimming team, led by a number of outstanding individuals, ended its season with pride. The girl's team, led by junior captain Sue Roberts and sophomore co-captain Kris Strauch, finished with an impressive undefeated season and clinched the Northern California Section Championship for the second year in a row. The talented boy's team, gaining experience with every meet, showed excellent potential for future swim seasons at Rio. The depth of the Rio team is growing stronger each year and, under head coaches Martha Chase and Mark Carrington, will continue to be outstanding.



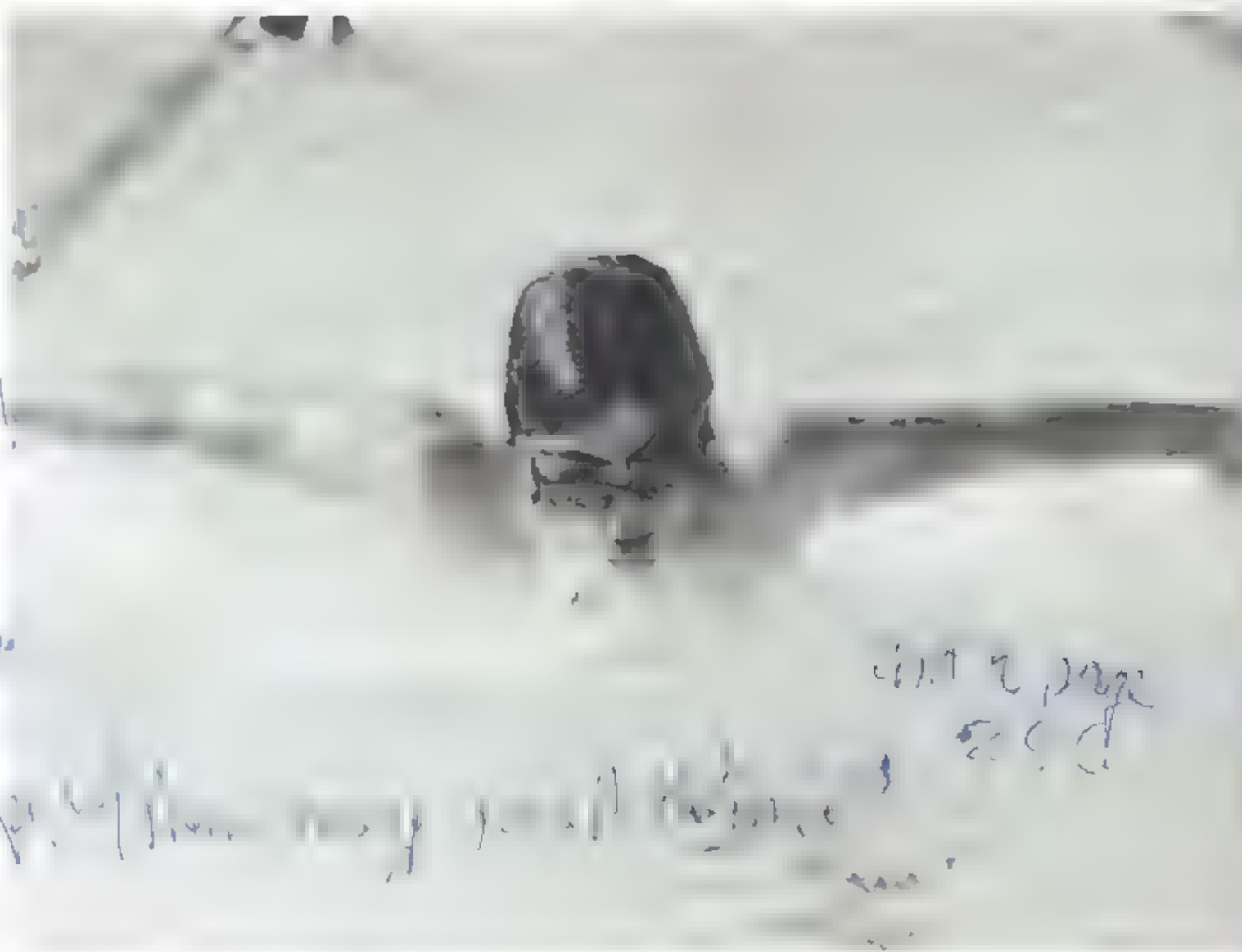
Top row: Dennis Crowley. 4th row (L to R): Tammy Harvego, Charles McKerras, Tom Biondi, Chris Strauch, Shan O'Dell, Robin Moore, Janet Alexander, Cindy Fischer, Laura Szymanski, Laura Wilson, Sue Roberts. 3rd row: Bonnie Gessford, Marshall Doud, Curtis Williams, Gwen Deberre, Campbell McKeag, Ryan McKeag. 2nd row: Joe Freshman, Eric Williams, Dave Kuhn, Howard Parr, Holly Eiler, Mike DeFratos, Kim Strauch, Adrienne Van Quari, Jill Landberg, Martha Chase. Front row: Gus Atkinson, Mark Strauch, Tim Mikulin, Tony Sanfilippo.

Awesome

1 Forget it! I'm not going in the pool! 2 Where did she get that swimsuit?? 3 Spectacular grace and coordination gives Rio the winning edge 4 The diving coach looks on with eager anticipation 5 Flying in style 6 Rio's female diving team members are also well known for their outstanding participation in wet t-shirt competition



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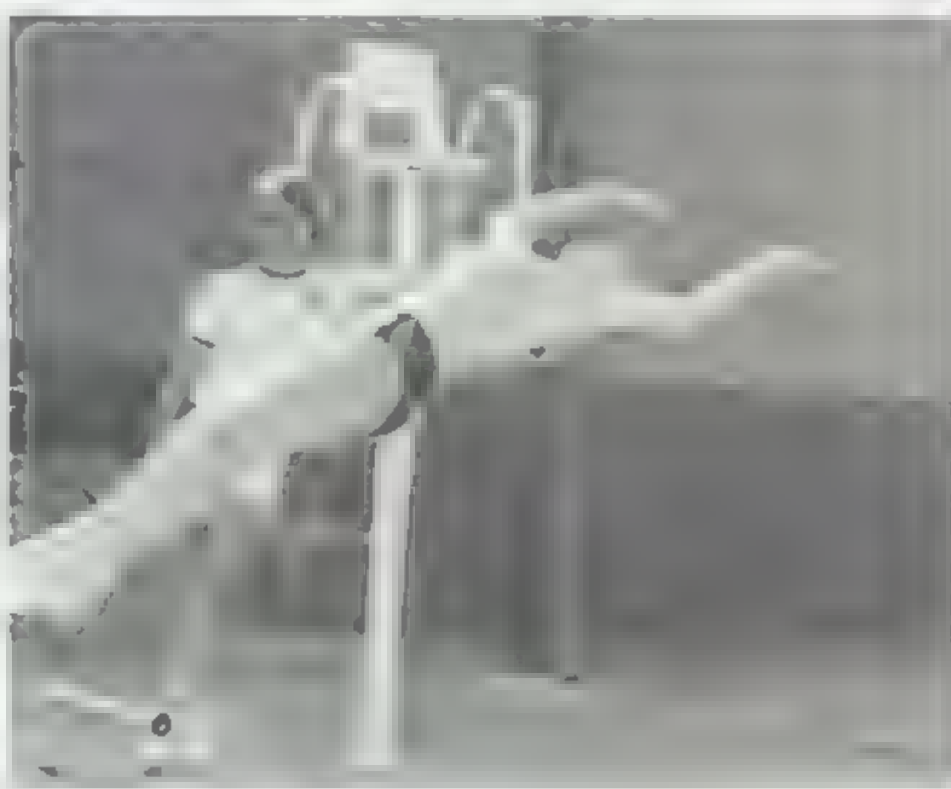


All I can say is  
you be careful!!!  
I know you & your  
temptations on  
Saturday night!!  
Also I should  
mention the girls.  
That's one way  
to keep in shape.

Don't miss  
the 2 page  
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Although it is Rio's smallest athletic team, the divers on Rio's diving team could be among Rio's hardest working athletes. Practicing daily, competing in meets (sometime 3-4 times a week), and developing techniques in their spare time, the divers spend much of their spring semester perfecting and improving dives. With increased awareness of the diving team, we should see an increase of divers in the future.



Left to right: Coach — John Wickers, Annette Kihm, Julie Shields, Michele Kihm, Brian McDaniel, Kirby Armstrong

Softball started off on a soggy note this year with rain disturbing many of Rio's early league games but didn't affect the play of Rio's talented athletes. Fighting for the CVC title, Rio dropped its first league game to rival El Camino, 5-4, but was ready to avenge the Eagles in the second round. Rio placed second at the Easter Softball Classic to Metro leader St. Francis. It took eleven innings for the troubadours to become victors of the close 1-0 game. Enn Warr, Lynda Wills and Mary Lucca were chosen to the all-tournament team.

The Raider defense was led by pitcher Erin Warr, who last year set a state record with a 23-3 mark and is one of the finest pitchers in the area. The infield consisting of shortstop Mary Lucca, first baseman Cam Sahm, second baseman "Twinkle" Argys, and third baseman Whitney Miller turned over many great double plays and were strong throughout the season. Donna Wills, Heidi Bertholf, and Lynda Wills rounded off the Raider nine with many spectacular catches in the outfield. Besides batting, Rio's base running proved to be the key to offense as sisters Donna and Lynda Wills led the team in steals with safe slides. Coach Larry Kelley stated that his team was young but not inexperienced and is looking forward to more championship teams in years to come.



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1. Erin gets the black-max ready for another trip. 2. Mary Lucca's indecision of throwing or chewing. 3. More of the two-step boogy by Heidi Bertholf. 4. "Twinkle" does the two-step boogy. 5. Smooth sailing? 6. Throw her out — quick!



Back row, l. to R. Whitney Miller, Head Coach Larry Kelley, Lynda Wills, Heidi Bertholf, Maren Foster, Kelly Weisman, Cam Sahm, Asst. Coach Dom Lucca. Front row, Kris Guensler, Mary Lucca, Erin Warr, "Twinkle" Argys, Donna Wills.

1. A poor attempt at imitating Dolly Parton. 2. Just try to score! 3. Where's her other arm? 4. Kelly before her broken leg. 5. Mary, you're dead if you drop it! 6. I've heard of covering the bag, but this is ridiculous. 7. Fernando Valenzuela's younger sister?



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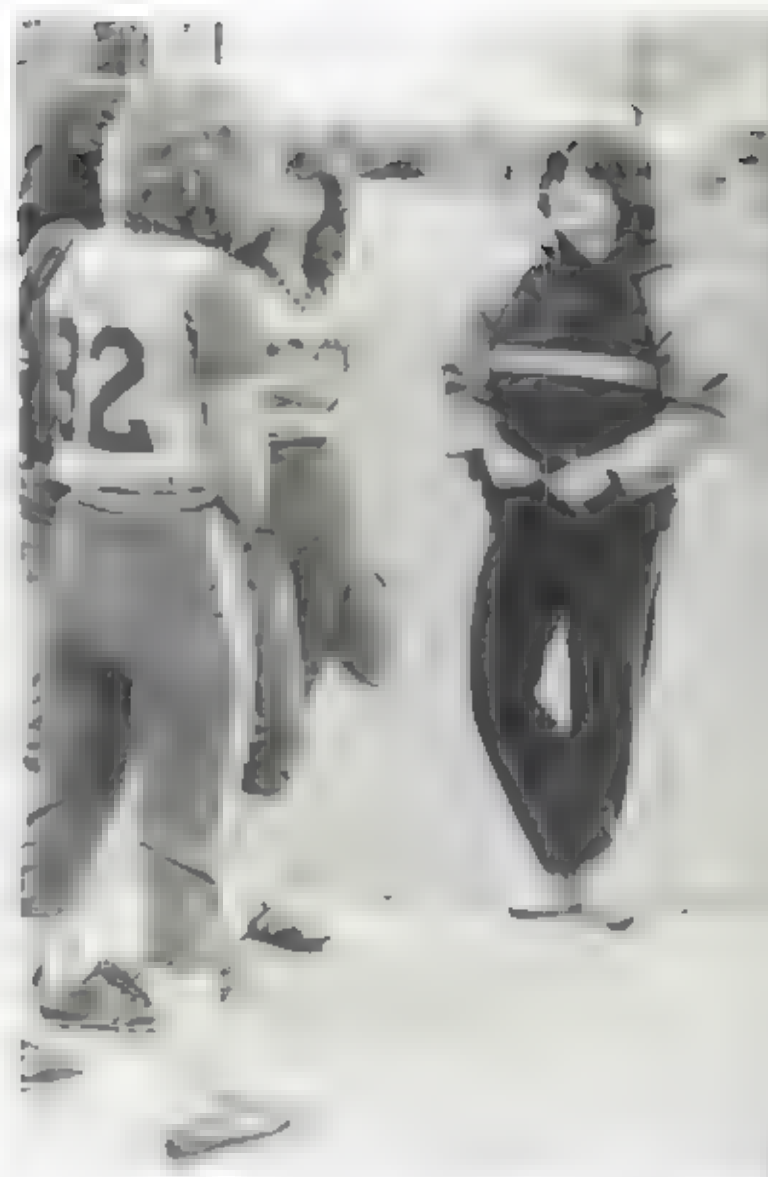
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1. Hitting the ball. 2. Coach Hansen shyly peps the team 3. Catching the ball 4. Throwing the ball 5. Holding the ball 6. Snagging the ball

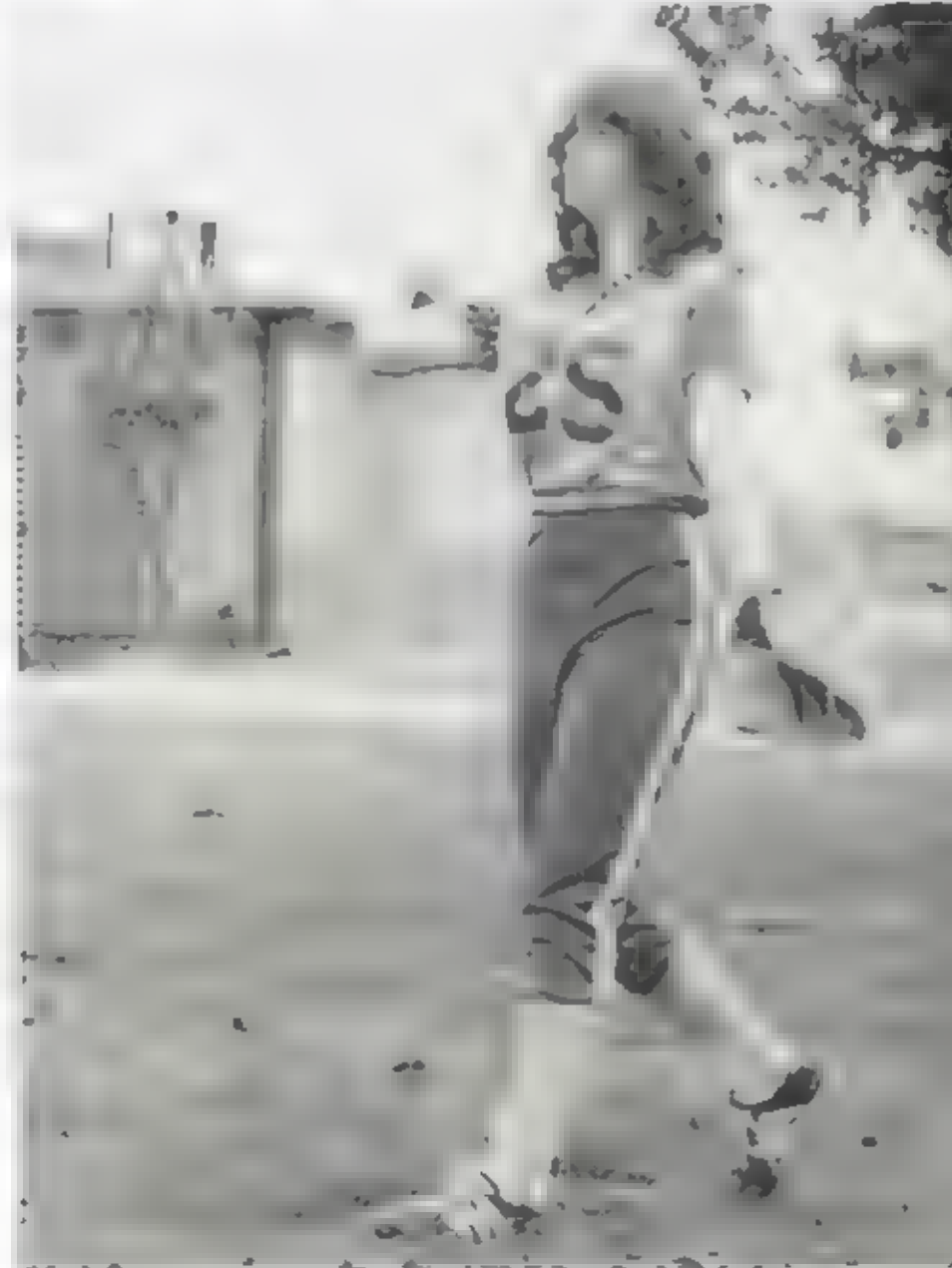


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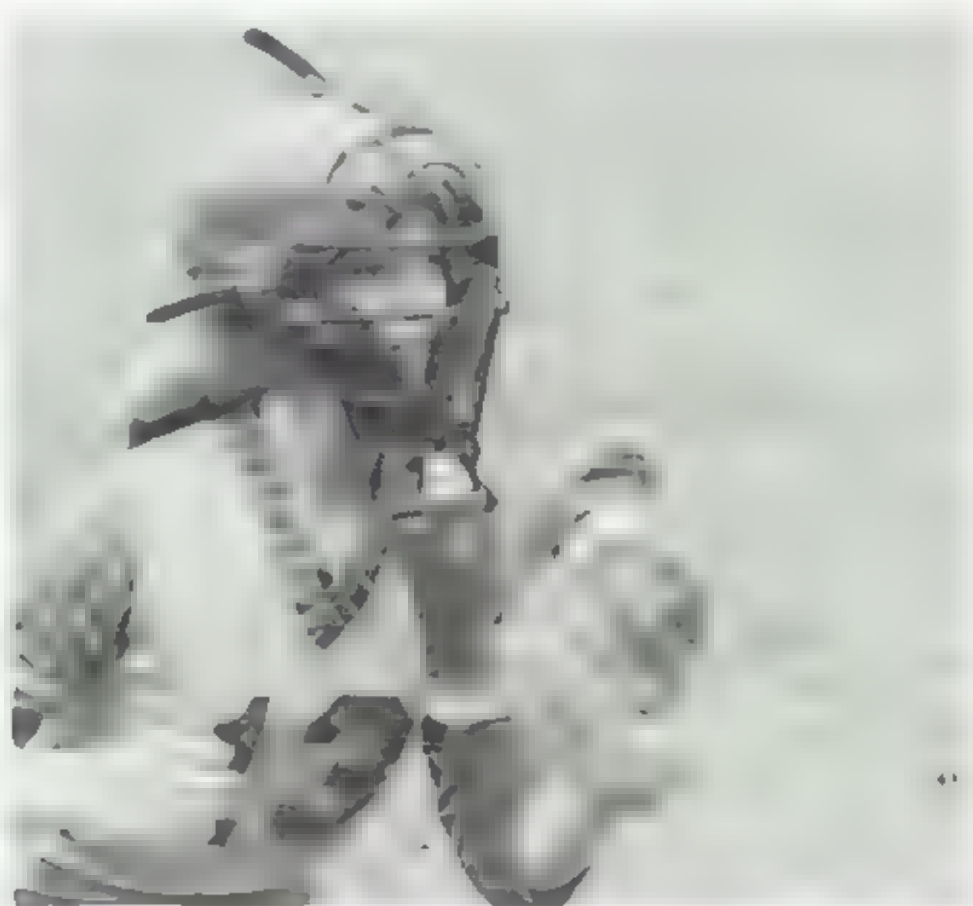






Front row (L to R): Laurel Waco, Lisa McClung, Karen Maurer, Katie Brown, Maggie Sekul. Back row: Amy Roberts, Suzanne Blakeney, Paige Cummer, Allison Damant, Susan Geisl, Tina Johnson. Coach: Ember Hansen, Missing: Shannon Biggs, Joan Cunningham.

The Junior Varsity Softball team had a prosperous season. Many of their league games were delayed or cancelled due to the rain. Nevertheless, it was a rewarding and successful spring for everyone. The new softball field was a great asset to the club's overall performance. This year's team had outstanding all-around talent. The season was an excellent opportunity for the girls to prepare and train for the competitive varsity team.



1 Mitch Gandy and Scott Prentice takes time out to bag some rays. 2. New track event, running on fingertips. 3. Coach Bob Secco gives team member a pep rub. 4 Tony Evans, better stronger, faster? 5. I can beat this guy — 6. Wild and crazy discus thrower. 7. Sleep running?



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The boys track team had a great season, part of which was due to the fantastic turn out of over thirty members. There was a good number of quality underclassmen that look very promising for the next few years. Along with a hand full of talented seniors, the team performed exceptionally well this year. They had participants in all of the events which created a tough competition for the other league teams. Overall, they have had a fun, exciting season, and Head Coach Hasbrouk is looking forward to even more improvement next year!



Back row (L to R) Dave Hummel, Tony Evans, Doug Bragdon, Jim Zeiner, Mark Williams, Wayne Orvick, 3rd row Don Hummel, Tim Nance, Scott Prentice, Pete Wroblicky, Cameron Martinez, 2nd row Coach Chris LaFazio, Jamie Collins, Steve Spurber, Scott Doud, Jay Wisham, Jai Gosine, Scott Johnson, Front row Coach Bob Secco, Galen Davis, Peter Wisham, Coach Tom Hasbrouk

1 Becky Chinn heads for the lockerroom after a tough practice. 2 Vania Barnga relaxes before her event. 3 Rio runners concentrate on the race. 4. The team prepares for a big meet. 5. Paul and Lenni wave to their fans. 6. Shawn Hansen strides towards the finish



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One of Rio's smallest sports teams, girls track, had a short, but good season. Unfortunately for the runners, the long season of rain prevented them from competing in as many meets as they would have liked. Considering the small number of team members, there was a lot of quality among them. They put up a tough fight against the other schools and did extremely well at all the league meets.



Standing (L to R): Coach Letty Hriczo, Sue Bower, Tracy Johansen, Shawn Hansen, Rebecca Chinn, Leenie Ezray, Carrie Arnwell, Andrea Margolis, Cathy Komisaruk, Coach Ethyl Nicolls. Kneeling: Danielle Darracq, Maggie Parsons, Suzie Olsen, Valerie Hamill, Vanla Barriga, Sara McDougall.

The years ahead look bright for varsity golf at Rio. This year's team consisted of a majority of returning Seniors who made Rio a strong contender in the CVC. Ryan Scott was the stand-out member of the team and one of the leading golfers in the area. Rio qualified for the sub-sections by becoming one of the three top teams in the league. Hopefully, with all of the new interest in golf, a winning tradition has developed on the Rio golf links.

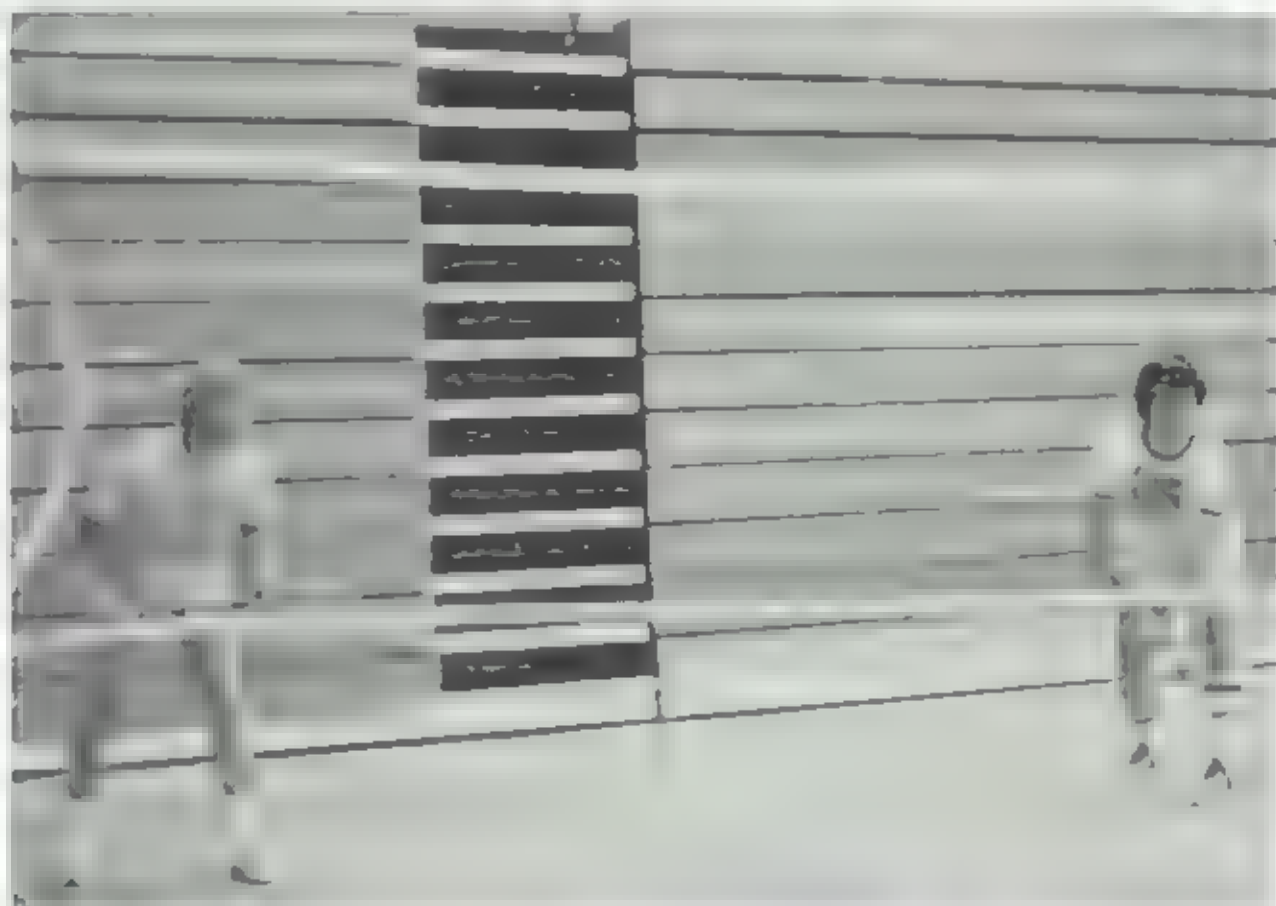


Rio golfers (from left) David Murray, Jeff Nelson, Mark Mataranga, Asa Jennings (back row.)  
Loser Kovell, Bob Penneio, John Parnish, Ryan Scott, Lance Schrey





Although a relatively new sport on the campus, the Rio Americano badminton team has come of age, and has established itself as another one of Rio's future champions. For most of the team members, this was their first experience at this racket and for some, a first in playing varsity-level competition. The future should be promising though, because of the large number of outstanding players who will return to the team, such as Wendy Morton, Julie Trujillo, and Chad Contreras.



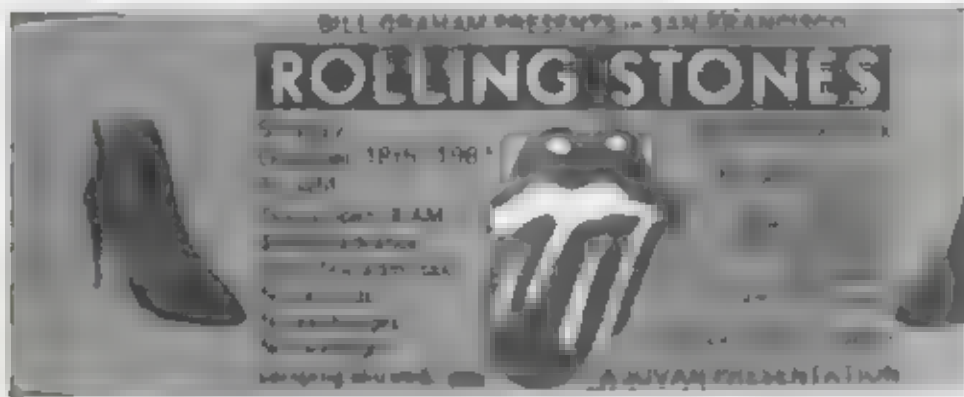
Badminton team (back row, from left): Art Jenkins, Greg Pimstone, Jeff Baldo, John Ramey, Chuck [unclear], Danny Johnson, Greg Kent, John Bayless, Mark Pierce, Tom Drever, Chad Contreras. (Front row, from left): Wendy Morton, Dana Figlar, Kim Astorino, Rosalind Camsey, Julie Trujillo, Lynn MacKenzie, Kim [unclear], Debbie Sjol.



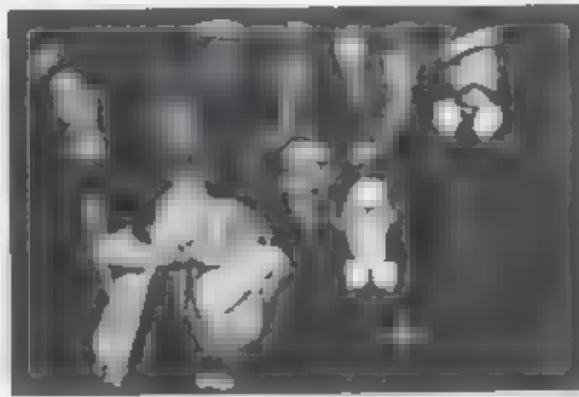
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# ORGANIZATIONS

"Our patience will achieve more than our force."

Understanding the organization of clubs was a feat in itself, but the students were unusually supportive this year. Student Government gained much needed respect as the organizational body of students by taking full control of the budget for the first time in Rio's history. Other notable events included C.S.F.'s Candy Cane sale, Class Bake Sales and J.S.A.'s overnight conventions. "Club Week," an orientation for new members was a huge success and introduced many students to the world of "social clubbing."

"Men are made by natural unequal, It is vain, therefore, to treat them as if they are equal."

Reflecting back on the year, my feelings involve many mixed emotions. I think most of the members of student government were completely frustrated by the arguments and the seemingly constant "un-organization" of activities. It was also very discouraging at times to feel that student government's function was "bounded by tradition," yet we managed to gain a reputation, at least with the faculty and the administration, of being a very assertive group of students. It was very encouraging, though, to instigate and organize successful activities and feel as if the student body approved of our actions.

The school year began with many decisions concerning the student body budget. With low gate receipts, over-budgeting in the past, and a budget deficit, we kept a close watch on all expenditures, regulating all purchase orders, and monitoring the financial books throughout the year. Sandy Mathias helped us a great deal with all of our financial matters and to her we are truly grateful.

I don't feel that it is student government's place to evaluate our effectiveness or success, the only valid indicator is the reactions of the students. I hope that the students approved of our actions because many student government members worked extremely hard, spending countless hours on making the year enjoyable and eventful.

If nothing else, student government has learned to be "honest." "Honest" with the students, the faculty, the administration, and most importantly, "honest" with ourselves, realizing our objectives, our "obstacles," and our "importance."

Finally, I will always be indebted to Theresa Marelich. She was always able to handle our over-zealousness, our persistence, and our enthusiasm, while keeping student government moving toward a realization of our goals.

Craig Simmons  
Student Body President



CRAIG SIMMONS, STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT



JEFF MARGOLIS, STUDENT BODY VICE PRESIDENT



1 How do you spell that, Janine? 2 Where did all the other officers go?



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REBECCA CHINN, STUDENT BODY SECRETARY

MARY MCCUBBIN, STUDENT BODY TREASURER



1 If I have to hear one more debate about the dance theme, I'm going to scream! 2. We are only freshman and see how much fun we are having



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LEE ANNE WONG COMMISSIONER OF PUBLICITY



JOHANNA MILLS COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL AFFAIRS

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APPOINTED OFFICERS: (Top) DIANE CASSIDY, SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT OFFICER; DAWN PERKINS, ASS'T PUBLICITY, (Front) TOM BIONDI, CLUB OFFICER; TODD REHFUS, ASS'T TREASURER



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1 See Tracy, It is so easy to get things finished when I make it to class!



APPOINTED OFFICERS (Left to Right) JOHN BARRON SEARGENT OF ARMS CHR S KIRK, ELECTION BOARD CHAIRMAN SUSAN BERMHEIMER, PARLIAMENTARIAN: BETSY HENLEY, RA'ETTE REPRESENTATIVE

## National Honor Society

We're very happy to have a part of the National Honor Society existing here at our school. This special group includes only the very serious students who have high hopes for important careers in the future. Their ideas may seem outrageous to some, but their grades show that they have the intelligence to reach their goals. This club is honoring these exceptional students, and they deserve it more than anyone else. Congratulations to all the members!!!



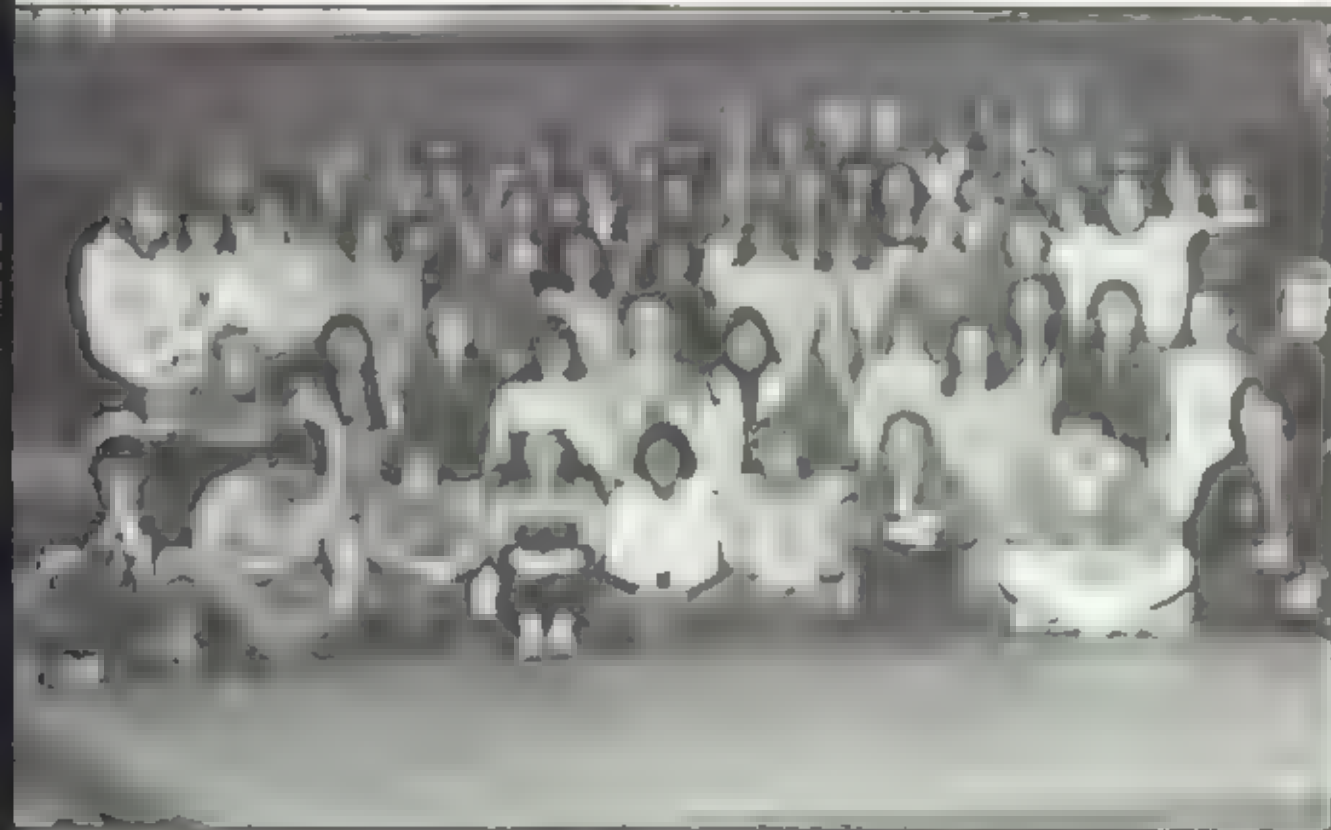
Front row (left to right) Greg Pimstone, LeeAnne Wong, Rebecca Chinn, Tracy Walls, Craig Simmons, Diana Rose, Susan Komisaruk. Second row: Charlotte Newcomb, John Boskovich, Cindy Ledwith, Kristin Nielsen, Robin Moore, Sally Aless. Third row: Mark Igra, Susan Wibur, Michele Frank, Mary McCubbin, Dawn Perkins, Sean Meadows, Theresa Marelich. Advisor

## C.S.F.

Membership in the California Scholastic Federation is a privilege held by students maintaining a high grade point average. These students are serious about their classes and spend much time studying in order to earn the grades that they do. This year C.S.F. had many bake sales and raised funds by sponsoring the candy cane messages that the whole school enjoyed during the holidays. C.S.F. was also involved in a Playwright Series in which students were exposed to various plays in Sacramento.



Front row, left to right: Mark Igra, Phil Anthony, Hillary Bays, Andrea Margolis, Carrie Cornwell — Treasurer: Maria Arau — Secretary: Diana Rose — Vice-President: Tracy Walls — President: Kathe Swabacke, Ken Silvers, John Boskovich. Second row: Carol Nessim, Dick Hansen — Advisor: Maggie Parsons, Camille Sahm, Susan Bower, Susan Trumbo, LeeAnne Wong, Julie Matsumoto, Michele Lentzner, Kristen Andersen, Kris Pendleton, Julie Denny, Elizabeth Pok, Cathy Komisaruk, Tisha Feinberg. Third row: Greg Pimstone, Danielle Darracq, Carol Watson, Eileen Calucom, Kathy McNeil, John Fobes, Khem Do, Miles Ehrlich, Cynthia Whitcomb, Anne Terra, Cindy Forrest, Charlotte Newcomb. Back row: Gus Atkins, Rebecca Zeiner, Ph. Chang, Natasha Reichle, Katie Sekul, Sandra Marks, Phil Koeler, Sheldon Epstein, Jeff Cayros, Ken Rosenbaum, Julie Matlof, Rebecca Chinn, Craig Simmons, Ingrid Myhren.



## "S" Club

This year's "S" (service) Club was a great success. With a fantastic turnout of seventy members, it accomplished a great number of various service projects. Along with many exciting celebrations, the club visited a hospital for elderly people during the holiday season, and spent many hours with needy children. The club also had fund raisers and donated the money to other service organizations.

Front row, left to right: Andrea Margolis — President, Carrie Cornwell — Vice-President, Ratna Jain — Mascot, Susan Bower — Secretary, Laura Peterson — Treasurer. Second row: Maggie Parsons, Julie Matsumoto, Carol Watson, Julie Trujillo, Suzanne Nielsen, Eileen Cajucorn, Julie Barges, Julie Denny, Michele Lentzner, Natasha Reichle, Kathleen Sekul, Patricia Holmes, Dawn Perkins. Third row: Anne Terra, Kristen Andersen, Danielle Darracq, Darlene Hendry, Wendy Hueners, Elizabeth Simpson, Kyu Kahn, LeeAnne Wong, Carolyn Johnson, Jodie Murdock, Laura Veder, Katherine McNeil, Susan Trujillo, Kristen Nielson. Fourth row: Michele Drobny, Susan West, Marcia Ellenbaum, Ingrid Myhren, Sharon Calvey, Susan Kawakami, Karen Rose, Kim Astonna, Carey Moore, Kristen Pendleton, Maria Arau, Nancy Orgon, Carol Nessim, Patricia Feinberg, Cynthia Whitcomb, Camellia Sahn, Susan Komisaruk. Fifth row: Eleyne Ezray, Jenny Baughman, Roxanne Ballran, Denise Jurich, Robin Moore, Adrienne VanQuill, Michele Gallo, Rebecca Chinn, Tracy Watts, Rachel McKinley.



## Key Club

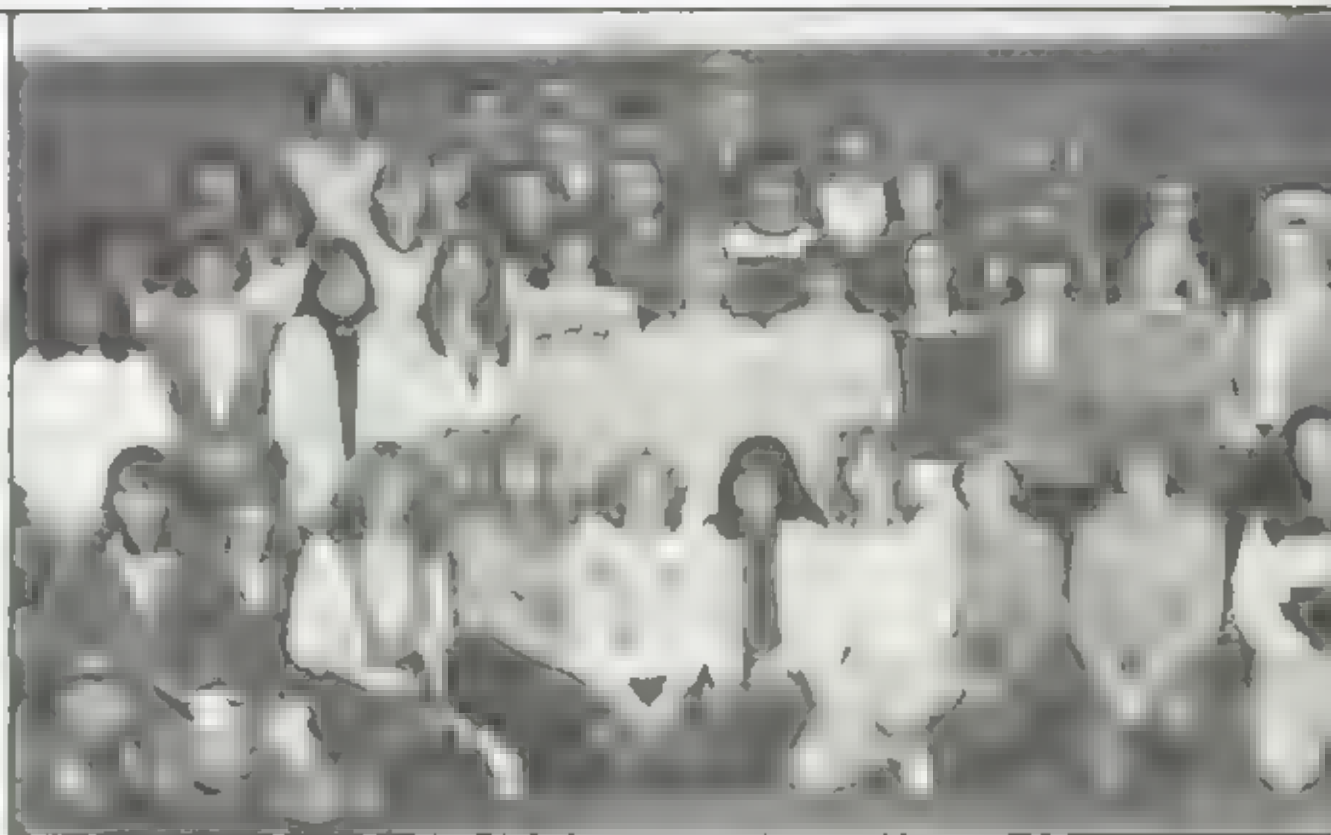
Key club, Rio's boy's service club, had an interesting selection of service projects throughout the year. They had many fund raisers and various banquets, aiding needy people in Sacramento. The whole school was able to enjoy their annual selection of the Key Club Sweetheart. Keeping alive Key Club tradition, this year's club was very active and filled with excitement!

Front row, left to right: Jeff Cavros — Sargent at Arms, Todd Rehluss, Michelle Frank, Eric Swanson — Vice-President, Steve Osegueda, John Fobes — Treasurer. Second row: Dan Yamane, Mark Kesmodel, Choon-Six Kahn, Troy Ortego, Gary Chalburg, Spencer Awes, Tobey Hapip, Bernhard Baltaxe, Mike Sowers. Third row: Todd Rich, Brad Armstrong, Tim Mikulin, Mike McCoy, John Ramey, Mike Hemrich, Greg Pimstone, Tim Harvey, Greg Kent. Fourth row: Chris Moorehead, Andy Benton, Anthony Costanzo, Robert Lewis, Peter Nixon, Craig Newton. Fifth row: Miles Ehrlich, Ben Persin, Sheldon Epstein, John Gezy, Phil Koehler, Ryan Tracy, Bill Hagenau, Andy Pulver. Back row: Dave Horn, Chuck Ashen, Charles Ramatci, Stuart Parr. Not pictured: Sanjeev Knplani — President.



## Spanish Club

The Spanish Club is open to anyone with an interest in the language and culture. Spanish was spoken at club gatherings and the members found it challenging and very beneficial. To start off the school year, the club had a Spanish-Mexican dinner, the members were able to try foods that were different and new to them. During the holiday season, activities included secret pals and a special fiesta where the gift-givers revealed themselves. The club also gathered food and toys and presented them to needy Spanish families. Foreign Language Week was a great success for the club and a fun and cultural learning experience for all the members.



Front row, left to right: Sara Gollub, Maggie Sekul, Janet Greene, Heather Schriachter, Bonnie McLean, Chrissi Tanaka, Kathy Marelich, Katherine McNeil, Andrea Margois, Carol Nessim. Second row: Onnie Bargman, Elizabeth Polk, Eileen Cajucorn, Maria Arau, Kristen Andersen, Kris Pendleton, Carolyn Johnson, Debbie Asher, Trisha Feinberg, Laura Vadera, Mayme Scott — Advisor. Third row: Julie Trujillo, Ratna Janin, Anne Terra, Julie Matlof, Susan Wilbur — Vice-President, Greg Pimstone, Holly Bays, Julie Denny, Cathy Komisaruk — Treasurer. Back row: Elaine Argys, Philip Chang, Susan Bernheimer — Secretary, Ken Rosenbaum — President, Phil Anthony, Khiem Do, Bill Hagenau, Ron Sustar, Rachel McKinley.

## French Club

To start off the year, the French Club had a passionate French film festival, which enriched the minds of the whole student body!! In addition to this educational experience, the club made their services known at the school play. They had several French dinners including a part in the foreign language festivities, which was a new experience for the club advisor. The club has already made many plans for the upcoming year.



First row, left to right: Diana Rose — Vice-President, Tracy Watts — President, Karen Rose — Secretary, Ingrid Myhren — Treasurer. Second row: Louis Scolan, Maria Arau, Danielle Darracq, Marta Chesney, John Boskovich. Third row: Sara Nelson, Carol Watson, Anne Terra, Jill Solem, Carol Connor, Ken Silvers, Kristin Nielsen. Back row: Elizabeth Simpson, Marcia Efenbaum, Jane Robinson, Kate Sekul, Susan Trujillo, Rebecca Chinn, Wendy Hueners, Jeff Holmes.





## German Club

This year's German Club accomplished many activities which broadened their knowledge of German culture. They were very busy, working hard to raise money which enabled them to have many exciting activities. These unique students have had a busy, but enjoyable year and have many future plans.

Front row: left to right: Ted Holt — Secretary, Natasha Reichle — Vice-President, Maggie Parsons — President, Kyu Kahn — Treasurer. Second row: A. Wickers, Chung Kahn, David Matiot, Julie Matsumoto, Michelle Lentzner, Pamela Gibbs. Third row: Adrienne Thacker, Peter Cardinale, Marco Frazier, Ratna Jan, Julie Bagonas, Kristie Jorgensen. Back row: Cindy Fischer, Dianne Cassidy, Don Clewitt, Carrie Cornwell, Hillary Bays, Dennis Wetherall.



## Latin Club

This club is one of Rio's finest language groups. They attended many plays and presentations which taught them a great deal about this very interesting language. The club has had many Latin banquets with some exciting guest speakers. Although the club was small this year, its ideas were big and very beneficial to all of the members.

Front row, left to right: Jodie Murdock — President, Kyu Kahn, Suzanne Nielsen, Lisa Obey, Todd Rehluss, Gwen DeBeare, Wesley Vorhes. Second row: Jonathan Heim, Richard Cuneo, Natasha Reichle, Susan Bower, Paul Ford, Ja Gosine, Don Day — Advisor. Back row: Elaine Argys, Mary McCubbin — Treasurer, Dennis Wetherall, Michelle Frank, Jeff Cavros — Vice-President, John Fobes — Vice-President, Roy Merlino, Nick Puketza.

## River Rats

The wild and crazy River Rats were crazier than ever this year. They were seen at ALL sports events, generating a spirit that no other group could. They have added excitement to all of Rio's activities, even an unexpected raid on the main office! We're more than proud of our fantastic RIVER RATS!



Front row, left to right: Paul Biondi — Secretary, Eric Swanson — Sargent at Arms, Steve Osegueda, Mike Helmrch — President, Dave Horn, Mark Jorgensen. Second row: Lance Shray, John Gezy, Mike McCoy, Charlie Dunbar, James Cuttle — Representative, Chuck Ashen — Representative, John Fobes. Third row: Mark Matranga, Sandy Robinson, Kevin Yamane, John Ramey, Tim Mikulin, Greg Paulson, Tobey Hapip, Bob Lewis, Sheldon Epstein, Mike Campbell, John Bayless. Fourth row: Mike Kenny, Jeff Bardo, Brad Armstrong, Charlie Ramatich, Bill Huchet, Tom Dreyer, Mike Gorman, Spencer Awes, Pat Emmet, Kevin Denny, Ar Meisner, Brad Chiders, Tony Costanzo. Back row: Tim Harvey, Jeff Cavros, Kip Rahe, Dave Horne, Ryan Scott, Greg Kent. Not pictured: Scott Wilson — Vice-President.

## Girls' Athletics Club

Girls's Athletics Club had an exciting and profit-filled year. While promoting school spirit, they sold bleacher cushions and used the money to aid in all girl's sports. They attended many sports events, which was very exciting for all the players! The club was very active in doing anything to strengthen Rio's girl's athletics program!



Front row, left to right: Karen Maurer, Marcia Effenbaum, Camellia Sahm, Katie Sekul, Ellen Reiser, Julie Denny, Mary Lucca. Second row: Alison Damant, Robin Moore, Rebecca Chinn, Natasha Reichle, Susan Trujillo, Susan Bower, Sara Nelson, Anne Olmsted. Third row: Elaine Argys, Kristin Nielsen, Sandra Marks, Mary McCubbin, Kimberly West, Carrie Cornwell, Susan Wibur, Kris Kirk. Not pictured: Enn Warr — President.



Front row Left to right Michele Lentzner — Editor  
Judy LaVergne — Advisor Back row David Cuny  
Don Cewitt, Richard Cuny, Jonathan Heim

## Left: Literary Magazine Below: Computer Club

We are very proud of our talented Literary Magazine staff. They produced a fantastic magazine, "The Levee", which is a fine collection of student's writings. For those students interested in computers, the Computer Club has had a fun and educational year. Their creative services were even helpful in Rio's Career Center.



Front row, left to right: Jim Zeiner, Gary Angelo, Mai Gilbert, Bruce Robbins, Peter Cooper, Back row: Phil Anthony, Sean Duffy, Jonathan Heim — President, Richard Cuney — Acting Secretary, Mrs. Frick — Advisor, Don Cewitt — Treasurer, David Jonnke, Not pictured: Jeff Browne — Vice-President



Front row left to right: Mike M... Gary... Back row... Jenny Baughman, Susa... Chang, Ken Rosenbaum... Back row: Tim... Bill... Greg...

## J.S.A.

Rio is very fortunate to be one of a select group of schools to have a chapter of the Junior Statesmen of America. This is a group of people, who debate against other schools on the hottest issues in the news today. They attended various state-wide conventions and were recognized as one of the best chapters. They have made a fantastic comeback to become one of the strongest chapters. It has been an exciting year for all the members.



# THE RIO MIRADA

Rio Americano High School

Sacramento, California

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## *Mirada Staff Dies of Boredom*

The Rio Mirada staff has been officially pronounced dead after an extensive rescue effort by Principal Alice Kubo.

Although details were sketchy at press time, it is believed that "boredom" was the official cause of death. "It seems as if the staff just keeled over trying to find something interesting to write about," commented Gayle Kernick, the administrator in charge of the newspaper class. "I know Alice (Kubo) tried to get something interesting to happen at Rio, but I guess she wasn't successful. With this untimely passing of the Mirada staff, the end of the monthly newspaper appears to be only days away.

It was just a case of having nothing to do, and I guess their ner-

vous systems just couldn't take any more of it. We all will miss the students tremendously, and the truly sad part is that we are going to have to surplus four more teachers," commented Alice Kubo in a statement released by the principal's office. "There was a blessing in this whole mess. Mirada advisor George Lunde was among the deceased and now we won't have to listen to those stupid jokes. Kubo concluded. Memorial services will be held for the Mirada staff on Senior Lawn Monday June 14 at noon.

Exclusive photo above: Mirada staffers shown frozen in the state of boredom just moments after being pronounced dead by Principal Alice Kubo.



## *Staff Suicide Attempt Thwarted by Draining of Pool*

After months of threats from "bored" editors, a mass suicide had been planned. The plan was for the entire staff to jump off of the Rio high-dives simultaneously and drown each other. This event was to be held on Monday, June 7th, after the school's 19th annual commencement exercises. The staff, though, did not count on having their planned discovered by the Rio administration. Ella DeLeon, administrative assistant, received word of the proposed activity, and on Monday morning ordered that the swimming pool be drained. "It appears that the Mirada staff forgot to get this activity approved by Student Government," responded an angry DeLeon. "If we are going to have an organized campus, then we must respect all of the interested parties. What if Student Government had planned a wake, or a crab feed, or something, then we would have numerous activities

going on and not enough administrators to cover all of them," she continued. "I can really relate to how the Mirada staff feels, and I understand where they are coming from, and if they want to plan this activity for later in the summer, don't foresee any problems with it. The administration just needs to be aware of these activities beforehand so that we can plan our schedules.

Mirada editor Amy Greblus indicated that the group would reschedule the activity at a more convenient time. "I guess we over stepped our limits, and next time we will be more considerate of Student Government and the administration," Greblus remarked. Photo above shows the Mirada staff preparing for their mass suicide, but to their dismay, there is no water in the Raider pool.

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## HAPPY GRADUATION!





## GREBITUS TAKES ADVISE FROM LINDE; SCHOOL HOLIDAY DECLARED!

I held out for two years, but I guess I just broke from the pressures," remarked Amy Grebitus, editor of the Rio Mirada, after bowing to pressures to take advice concerning the management of the paper from advisor George Linde. Miss Grebitus has been producing the newspaper for two years, but finally forced to listen to her boss after it was reported that the Mirada was six weeks behind schedule and going bankrupt. "I knew the time would come when she would have to listen to me," Linde com-

mented. "I just sat around and watched the roof fall in on her; she's a tough cookie, but she's full of sugar and she couldn't handle the pressures." Since the duo has begun working together, the Rio Mirada has become the show-stopper at all of the international newspaper conventions, and this week it was reported that the newspaper will turn a profit for the first time in sixteen years. "I knew our newspaper relationship would work out, but it took Amy a little longer to realize it," Linde concluded.



After securing a major portion of the management powers of the Mirada staff from editor Grebitus, advisor Linde discusses a proposed revision of the Rio administration with fellow staffers Mark Ingraham and Twinkie Argys. It is believed that Ingraham and Argys are the brains behind the attempted takeover attempt.



## LOST TYPIST FOUND; SAYS "JUST DOING MY JOB"

After an extensive cleaning of the Rio Mirada staff room, a small girl was discovered sitting at a typewriter lodged behind a file cabinet. The girl, identified as Mary Lampshade, was scheduled to graduate from Rio in 1967, but was left in a corner to finish typing a story for the November 1966 edition of the Mirada.

"I always wondered what had happened to Mary. I just assumed that she

dropped my class," advisor Linde remarked. "Well, at least she got the story completed, and now we can run it in the next edition of the paper," Linde revealed.

The girl, although unavailable for comment, was reported to have asked for an ice cream soda, and reportedly said, "I guess I lost track of the time, but I really wanted to finish the story."

RIO AMERICANO HIGH SCHOOL

**the RIO MIRADA**

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA



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Craig Simmons, Editor



Jeff Margolis, Ass't Editor



Tracy Watts, Caption Editor



Michelle Gallio, Index Editor



Joe Sugimoto, Advisor

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It is with a feeling of pardonable pride that we present to you the 1981-82 Rio Americano Tesoro. After serving as editor for the past 2½ years, I can safely say that this is the most complete, most consistent and most original of the Rio yearbooks.

Many people gave unselfishly of their time and talents during the busy days and weeks which preceded the publication of the Tesoro. Weeks of hustling after missed deadlines, compensating for a loss of advertisers, and training an inexperienced staff has really kept the editors on their toes.

Although not officially enrolled in the yearbook class, a few students deserve special recognition for their work and encouragement. Tracy Watts, serving as caption editor, worked countless hours at night to help us ensure our anticipated arrival date. Detrea Lucero organized and designed the "senior favorites" section, Susan Kawakami took charge of the advertisements in the middle of the year, and Lee Anne Wong supplied much needed quotes for the book. The staff is truly grateful for the work these students accomplished.

I thank Joe Sugimoto for all of the work and effort which he contributed to developing the yearbooks for the past four years. I sincerely appreciate all that I have learned from him, and I truly respect him as a teacher and as my friend.

Although we are very excited and pleased that the 81-82 Tesoro is officially "out in print," there is also a feeling of sorrow brought on by the knowledge that with the printing of this book comes the cold realism that for many of us this will be our final endeavor into the journalistic field.

I wish to express my grateful thanks to all those who assisted in compiling this book, and my sincere wish for a very successful and prosperous future.

Craig Simmons, Editor



1. Dawn Perkins types a story for the sports section. 2. Photographer Rick Sebastian looks alarmed over the proofs of his pictures for the yearbook. 3. Bonnie McClean prepares another layout for one of the tough deadlines.



Marshall, I'm so glad we got to be friends. You are one of the nicest people I've met here at Rio. Stay sweet and have a great summer. We will have an awesome senior year together. Homecoming was great. Thank,

Remember always

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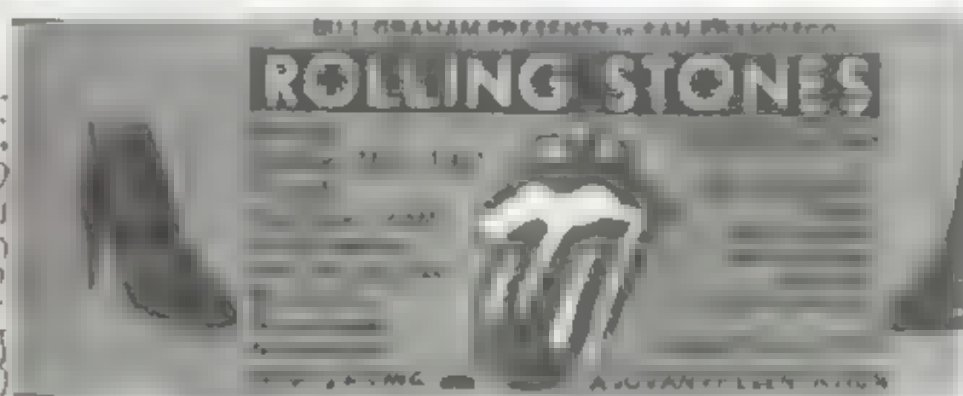
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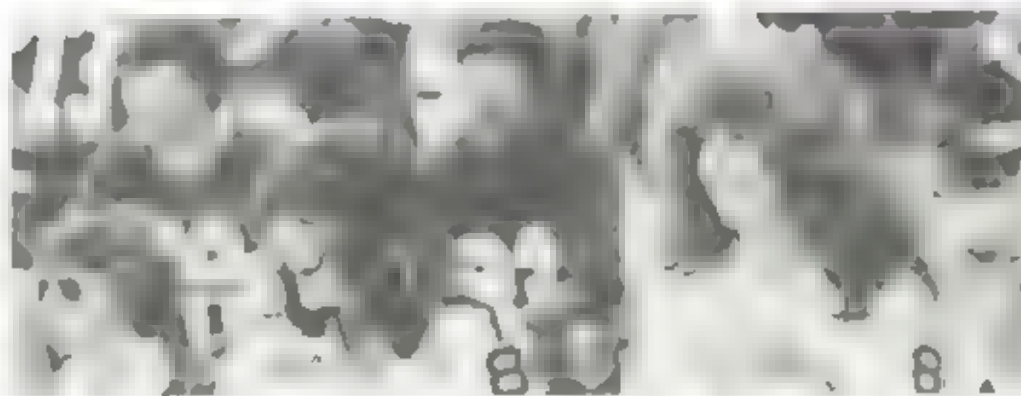
## ORGANIZATIONS



## FACULTY



## SPIRIT



Performing Arts

FADS/NEWS

## SPORTS





# Performing Arts



'The stage but echoes back the public voice. The drama's laws the drama's patrons give, for we that live to please, must please to live.'

The stage seemed to be a temporary escape from the monotony of the year for many students and faculty. Working through complex facades the students gained confidence, poise and character analysis. At times roles were intertwined with personalities and the characters developed complexity and originality. With many awards and honors bestowed upon this talented group of students, future roads seem paved with success.

'There is a difference between a dream and a fantasy.'



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1 The entire cast of "Sherlock Holmes and the Curious Adventure of the Clockwork Prince" 2 Steve M. now 3 Jeanne Benedict 4 (Back) Anne Applegate, Julie Matlof and Laura Peterson (Front) Jeff Ritter 5 Jeff Brown 6 David Fisher 7. Keith Farley and Andrew Sutherland



This year's successful production, 'Sherlock Holmes and the Curious Adventure of the Clockwork Prince' was performed for Rio's student body in October. The show also toured to the California Reading Society's annual conference, to the State English Convention in San Francisco, and to local schools. Rio's Readers Theatre is also working with Community Action Against Drug Abuse and was recently featured in a national magazine.



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1 Craig Long practices up on his vocal talents. 2. The symbol of the Rio music department. 3. (From left ) Elizabeth Whitcomb, Phil Anthony, Diana Rose, Keith Farley Cynthia Whitcomb. 4. (From left:) Diane Ford, Craig Long, Cindy Doyle, Paul Ford, Cathy Nagiestad. 5. Cathy Nagiestad and Keith Farley are tuning up the ole voice cords







From left: Pat, Ferd, Elizabeth Whitcomb, Cynthia Whitcomb, Ph. Anthony, Dana Rose, Diane Ford, Craig Long, Cindy Doye, Keith Farley, Cathy  
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The madrigals stand as the "class" of the musical talent at Rio. With their stylish clothes, well-groomed voices, and an abundance of musical talent, the madrigals are a show-stopper where ever they perform. Whether it be with classical, contemporary, or jazz music, the madrigals always have the "right" sound, and are a major part of the Rio music department.

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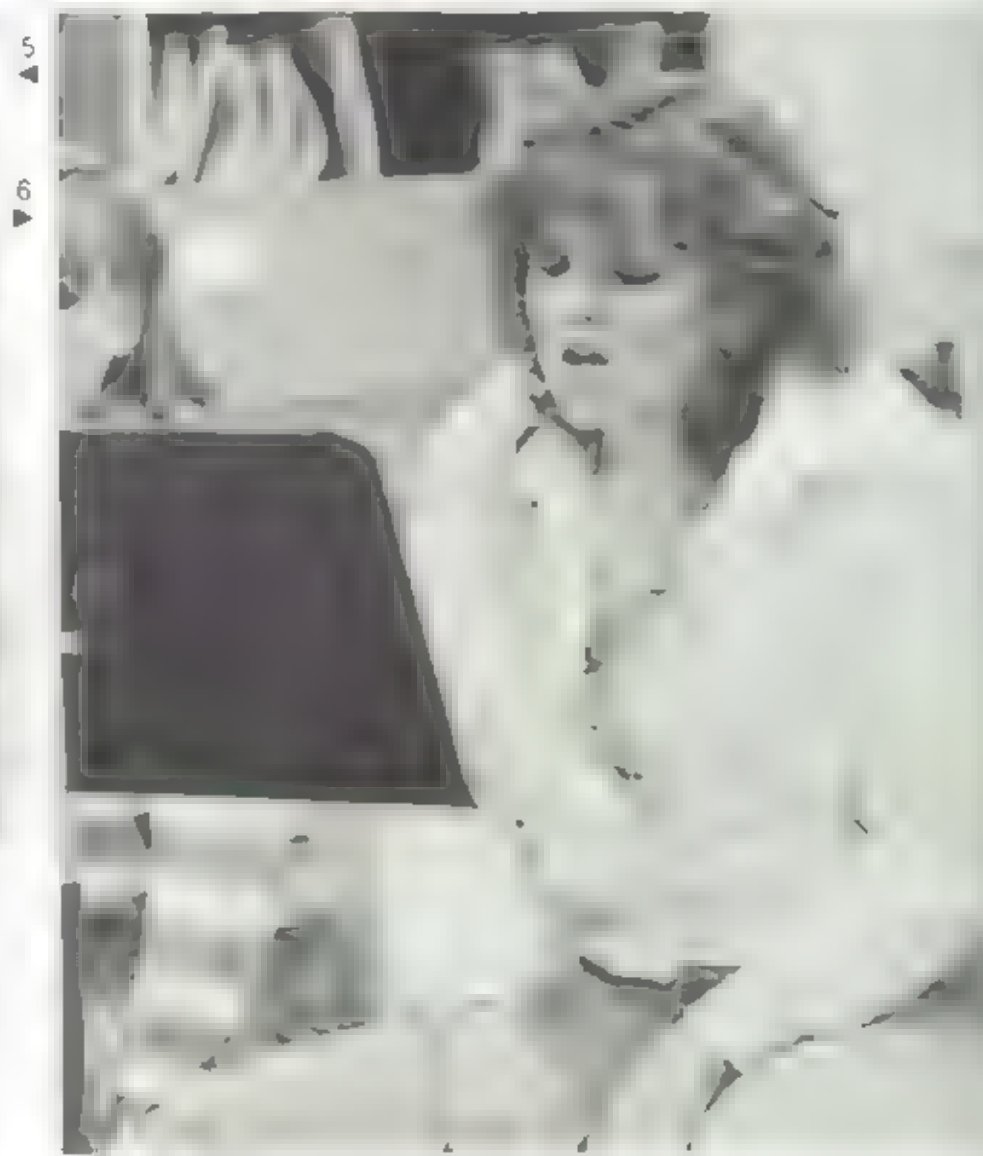
*School any more. Still away from the wrong kind of women (are there any?) and remain the best teenager is an educated teenager.*

*Madrigals 179*

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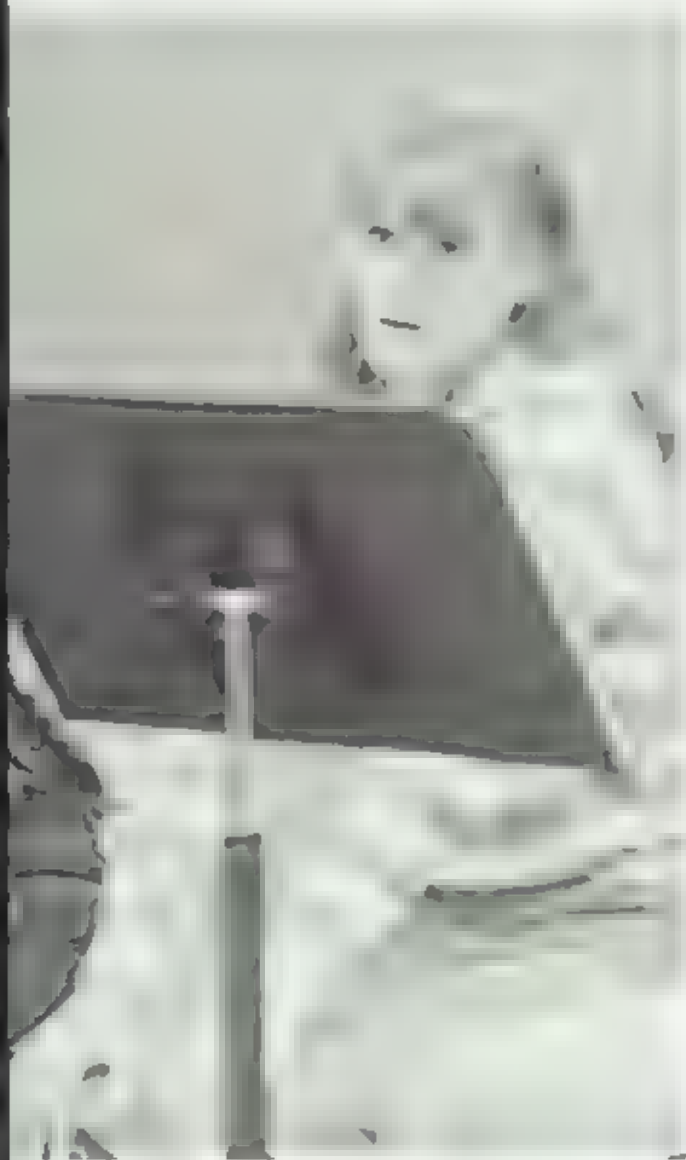
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1. "Can I read off your music, Cindy?" 2. Mr. Axup ponders the important musical question. 3. Sing . . . Sing a song . . . " 4. The grand piano engulfs the small music room. 5. "And we all sang along, together . . ." 6. Cindy Doyle belts out another grammy award-winning song. 7. "I really don't believe I'm in this class."





Although membership in the choir has dropped substantially during the past few years, these fine singers still perform regularly at Rio and at our feeder junior highs. Their sound is still as sweet, and their dedication is hard to compete with. Keep on singin', don't stop singin', you're gonna be a STAR someday



*THE 1981-82 RIO AMERICANO CHOIR*

## CAST

JIM STARK ..... Hans Harsch  
 MRS. STARK ..... Craig Long  
 MRS. STARK ..... Jeanne Benedict  
 JIM'S GRANDMOTHER..... Becky Endres  
 PLATO ..... Steve Minow  
 JUDY ..... Justine Reiss  
 JUDY'S FATHER ..... Craig Simmons  
 JUDY'S MOTHER..... Faye Backer  
 BELLE..... Michelle Lentzner  
 MRS. DAVIS..... Anne Applegate  
 BUZZ ..... Andrew Sutherland  
 CRUNCH ..... Jeff Holmes  
 GOON..... Todd Eaves  
 MOOSE ..... Dave Fisher  
 RAY ..... Scott Wilson  
 OFFICER ..... Jeff Ritter  
 HELEN..... Julie Matlof  
 MILLIE ..... Danielle Quisenberry  
 MISS HANNINGTON..... Adrienne Van Quill  
 LECTURER ..... Jill Solem  
 MAN ..... Mike Krynski  
 Directed by: Betty Miller; Set by: Chuck Gebhardt;  
 Lights by: Ted Krynski



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1. Judy (Justine Reiss) sizes up the "new kid on the block, Jim (Hans Harsch.) 2. The Stark family arrives at the police station to find their son, Jim. 3. Judy's father (Craig Simmons) discusses 'the moon' with Judy (Justine Reiss.) 4. Jim (Hans Harsch) gets involved in a knife game" with Buzz (Andrew Sutherland) while attending the planetarium. 5. Judy and Plato (Steve Minow) are horrified at the crash of Buzz's car over the cliff 6 Miss Hannington (Adrienne Van Quill) discusses the seating arrangement with Helen (Julie Matlof) and Crunch (Jeff Holmes.) 7. Jim holds Buzz at knife point, much to the dismay of the other kids in the planetarium





The Student Body Play, *Rebel Without a Cause*, was a huge success. Playing to packed houses for two nights in December, it seemed that the actors could do no wrong, delighting the crowd with every scene. The play supported a cast of twenty-one talented performers, many of which were performing in their acting debuts. Hans Harsch and Justine Reiss recieved accolades for their portraja of the young confused teenagers and Steve M now did a good job as Jim's best friend, Plato. If this play is any indication of the future of the Rio drama department, then the future looks very promising.

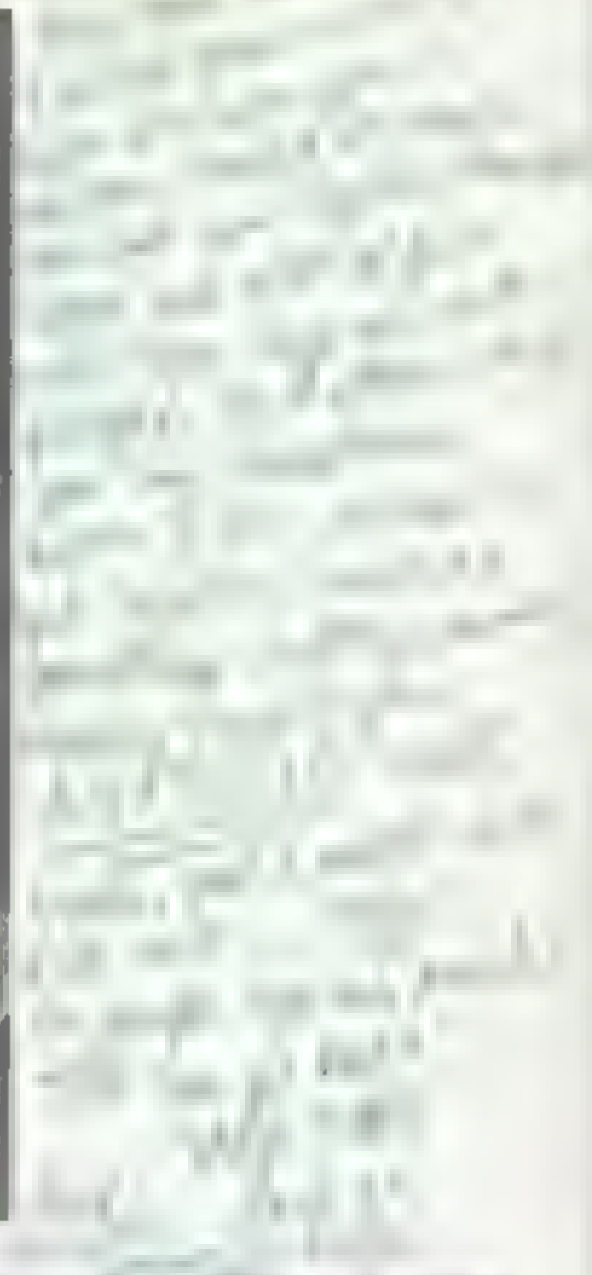


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1 Jim looks sceptical about Plato sitting next to him 2 Plato regales the shooting of the "puppies" story to Ray (Scott Wilson) while Mrs. Davis (Annie Applegate) listens 3 The Brown family (Mrs. Brown, Mr. Brown, Belle, and Judy) discuss the family's situation during dinner 4 "The Gang" looks completely bored while the Lecturer (Jim Solem) tells the story of the stars 5 Judy gives Jim "some dirt" before the big car race ("chickie run") 6 Crunch waits in the police station before being questioned 7 The Man (Mike Krynski) gets hassled by the boys in the "gang"

1 "What song was that?" 2 Brian Nakagawa leads the band during one of the "hot" afternoon football games. 3. "If you want my body, and you think I'm sexy . . ." 4 Brian Nakagawa secured the chin strap of fellow band member Lenn Stacherek. 5. The sounds of music? 6. "March, Two, Three, Four" 7 The 1981-82 Rio Americano Marching Band and their director Ben Fong







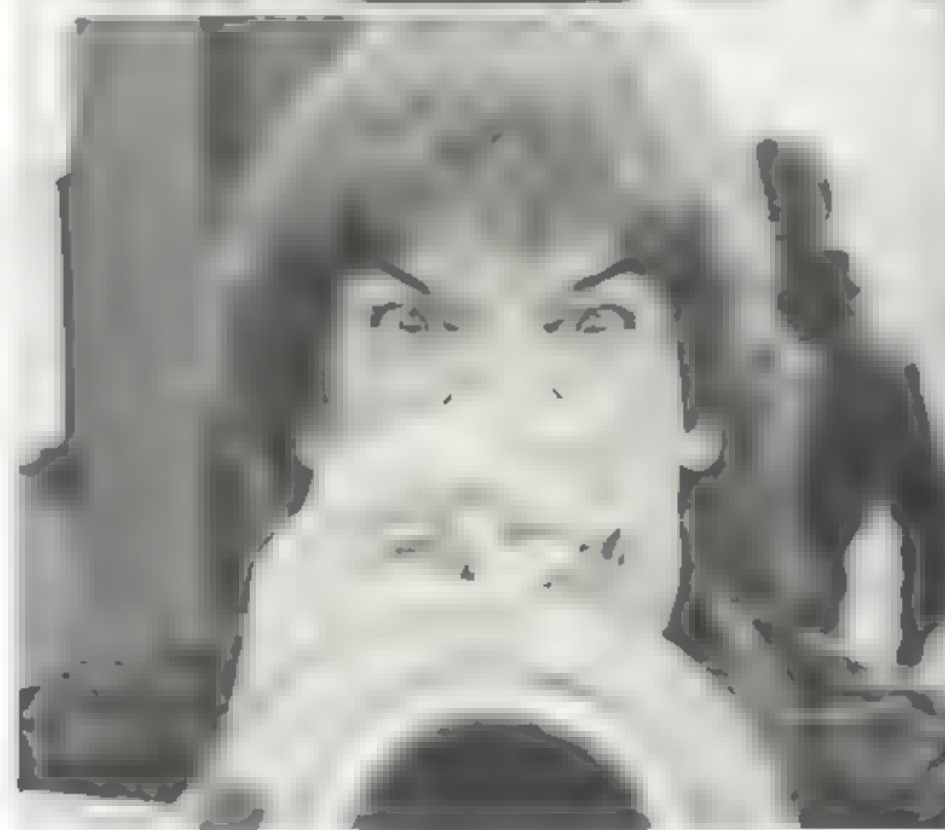
Rio Americano has an award-winning marching band. The band captured many honors and awards during the year, including a first place finish in the Sacramento Admissions Day Parade. Participating in many competitions, including the Cupertino Tournament of Bands, the San Francisco Columbus Day Parade, the Sacramento Band Festival, and the Berkeley Band Day, the musicians gained much experience and made it known across Northern California that they were certainly a band to "contend" with. Aside from their busy competition schedule, the marching band found time to promote school activities, participating in the Homecoming parade and performing at all Rio football games



1 Keith Farley shows his trombone form at one of the many jazz competitions  
 2 Roy Merino has his share of problems with his trumpet 3. The River Rat  
 Dixie and Band Scott Prentice, Scoot Awes, John Boskovich, Miles Erlich,  
 Tracy Shairer, Keri Silvers, Danielle Darracq, and Diana Newcome. 4. The  
 Jazz Ensemble practicing 5. "Blow, Mies, blow!" 6. The "sax" team gets into  
 their music



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The jazz ensemble had a very successful year. Winning numerous competitions throughout the Northern California festival circuit. Competing in the AA division, the band matched musical with over a hundred musical groups from throughout the state during the past year, always scoring near or at the top of every competition. The River Rat Dixieland Band, shown at left, also grooved its way to numerous honors throughout the year.



1. "Toga Time" at the Pompeii Room looks like some aspiring songleaders. 2. Daddy Brubeck (Jeff Ritter) evokes excitement from his followers. 3. Herman (Dave Fisher) explains that he always cries at weddings. 4. Chanty (Jeanne Benedict) and Oscar (Steve Minow) share a personal moment in the subway. 5. Chanty and her "men" show why they think they are a brass band. 6. Upon leaving the Fandango Ballroom for the final time, Chanty introduces her fiancé, Oscar, to the other girls. 7. The entire ensemble cries at Chanty's farewell party.



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#### CREW FOR "SWEET CHARITY"

LIGHTING ..... Ted Krynski, Anne Miguel  
SETS ..... Ted Krynski, John Hawcke  
PROPERTIES ..... Faye Backer, Jill Hood, Tish Sutton  
Tracy Johansen, Suzanne Rushkin  
COSTUMES ..... Anne Applegate, Jeanne Benedict  
COREOGRAPHER..... Janine Schwilk  
PIANIST ..... Michael McClure





"SWEET CHARITY," a Neil Simon comedy was featured as the Spring Musical. Jeanne Benedict, in the leading role as Charity Hope Valentine, completely stole the spotlight with her unusually humorous portrayal of the starring character. Jeanne was supported by a very talented cast, including Steve Minow, Keith Farley, Jeff Ritter, and Justine Reiss. This, being Rio's final musical ever, was a fantastic send-off for many of Rio's truly talented performers.



### PLAYBILL

CHARITY HOPE VALENTINE	Jeanne Benedict
HELENE	Adrianne Van Quill
NICKIE	Dana Rose
CARMEN	Jill Solen
ELIZABETH	Amy Nielsen
SUZANNE	Hilary Bays
FRENCHY	Justine Reiss
BETSY	Julia Formello
EJANE	Cynthia Whitcomb
BARBARA	Dave Fisher
URSULA	Justine Reiss
VITTORIO VIDAL	Keith Farley
OSCAR LINDQUIST	Steve Minow
DADDY BRUBECK	Jeff Ritter
MARY N.	Scott Wilson
MANFRED	Phil Anthony
WOMAN WITH A HAT	Elizabeth Whitcomb
WOMAN PANHANDLER	Cindy Doyle
BARNEY	Greg McGard
POLICEMAN	Mike Krivinski
GOOD FAIRY	Barbara Leadem
MARRIED WOMAN	Kris Pendleton
THE HIPPIE	Michelle Lentzner



"All the world's a stage, and all of the people are merely players"



At times it seems as if all of the Rio student body is in performing arts. Whether it be exhibiting spirit at rallies, giving lectures in class, or just clowning around with friends, the faculty and students are always "on stage."



# SENIORS

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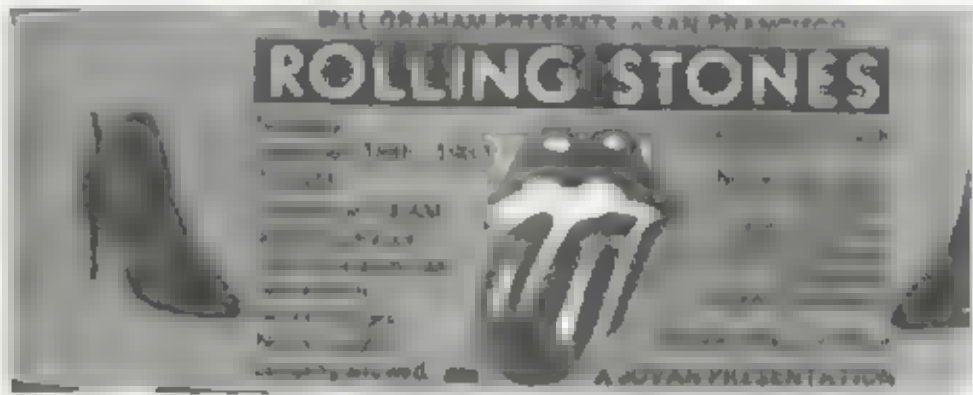
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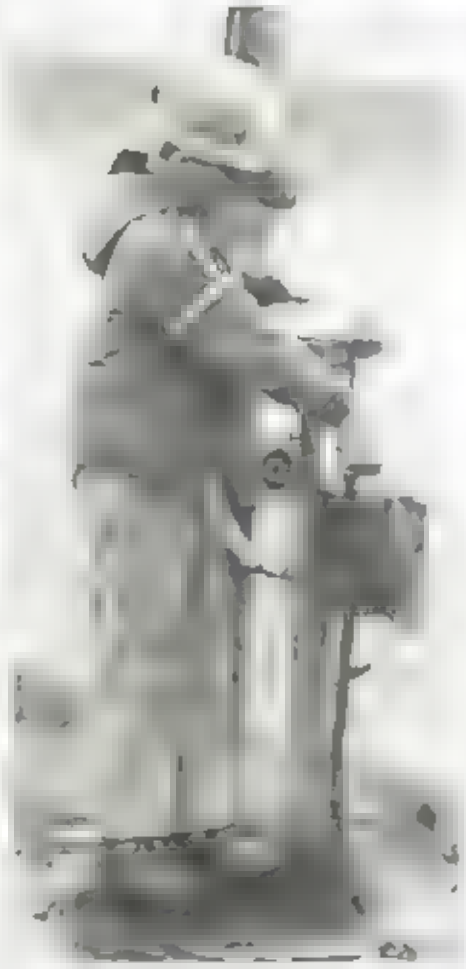
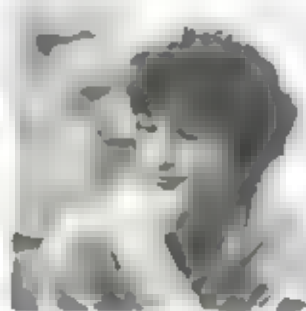
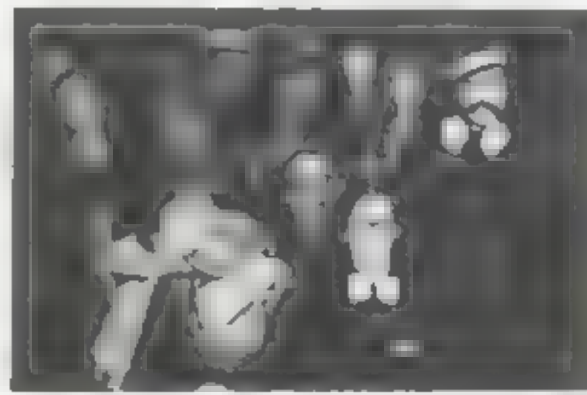
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# SENIORS



"When you're a Senior, all you do is laugh because you finally realize it's all a joke. It's all a joke, and you're the fool!"

The motivation behind the Seniors this year was GRADUATION. They anticipated leaving Rio, tying up loose ends, and joining the "real world." Unlike past Senior classes, unity and spirit prevailed throughout the year's activities. The Class of '82 experienced winning in a variety of events, including Sports Spectacular, Academic Decathlon, Mock Trial and Girls Basketball, just to name a few. With the knowledge gained during the past four years, the Seniors can't help but enter a world filled with success.

"I'm about to take my last voyage, a great leap in the dark!"

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Senior Class President

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**BELLE KELLER**  
Senior Counselor



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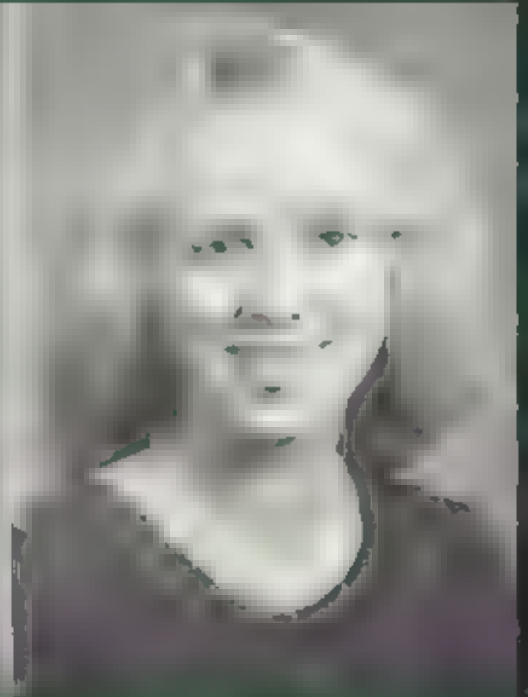
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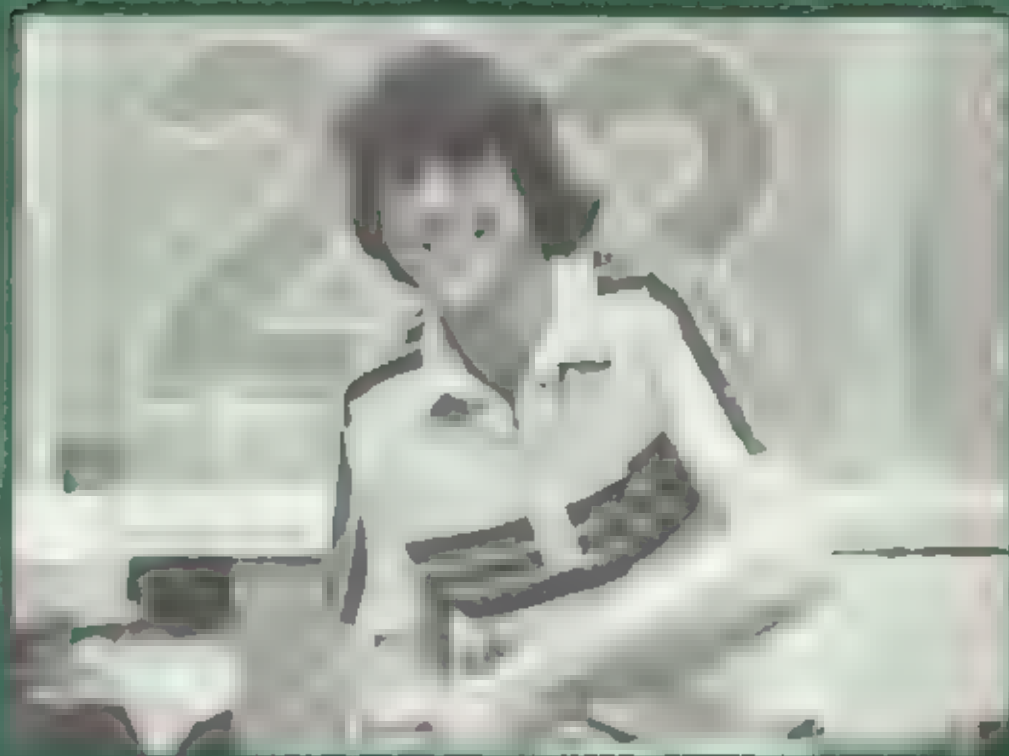




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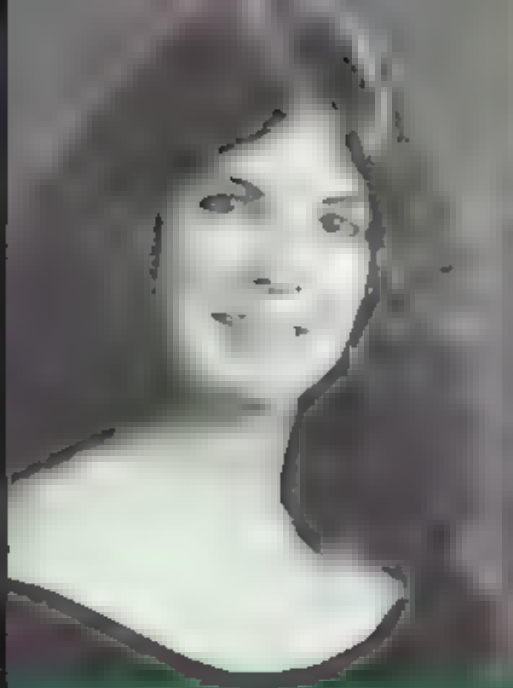


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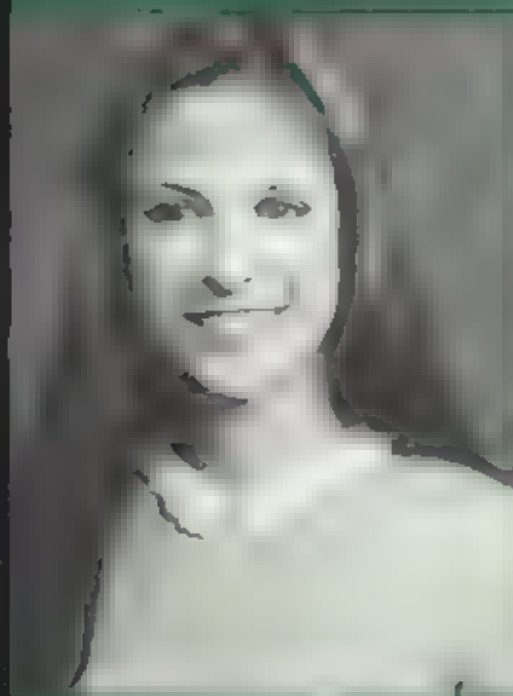
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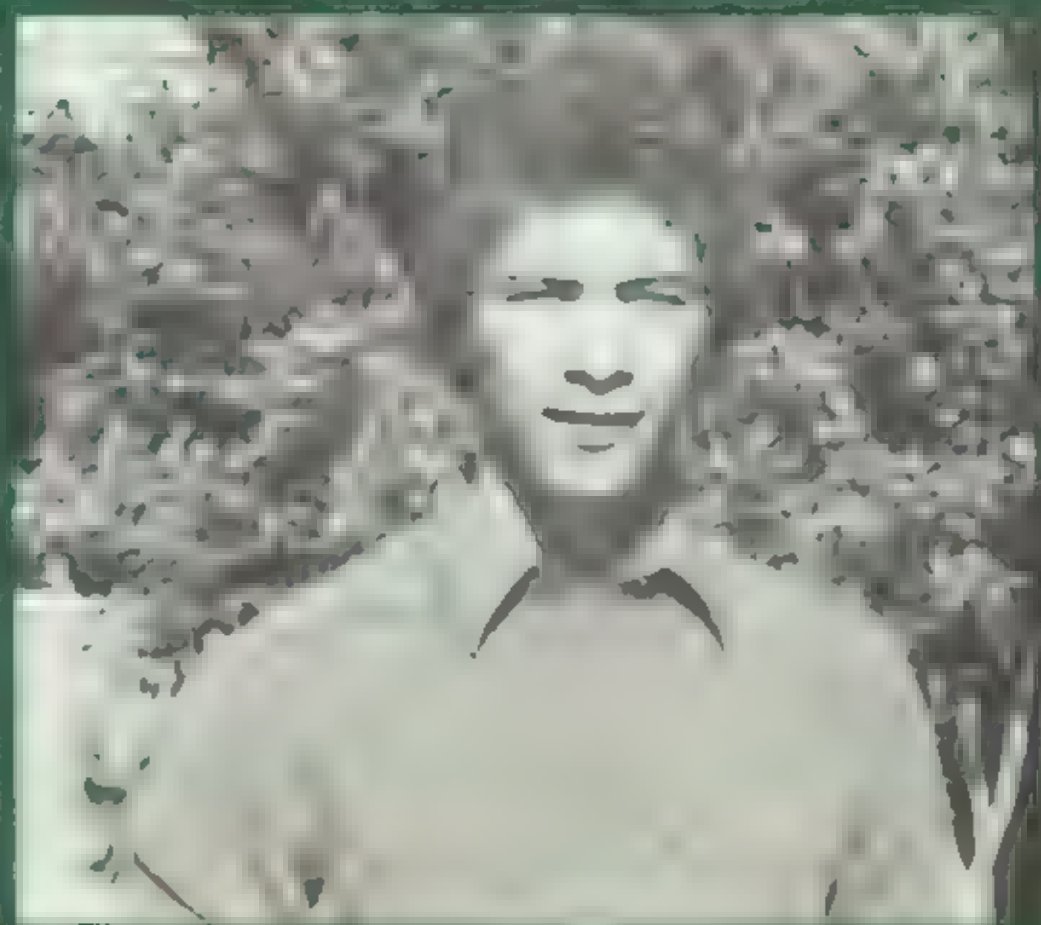
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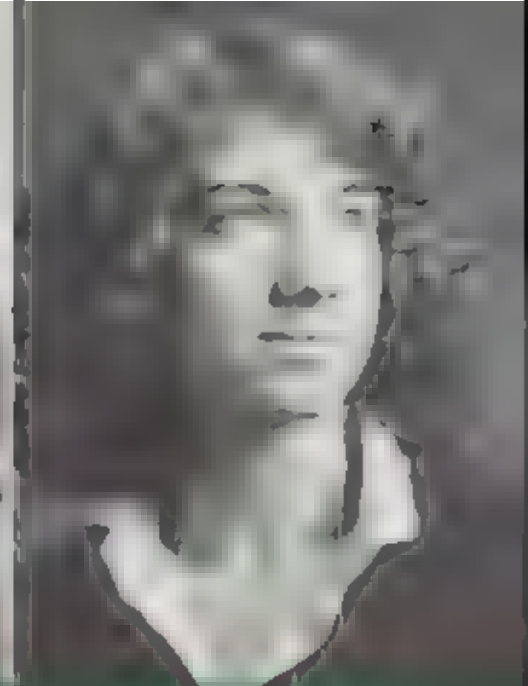


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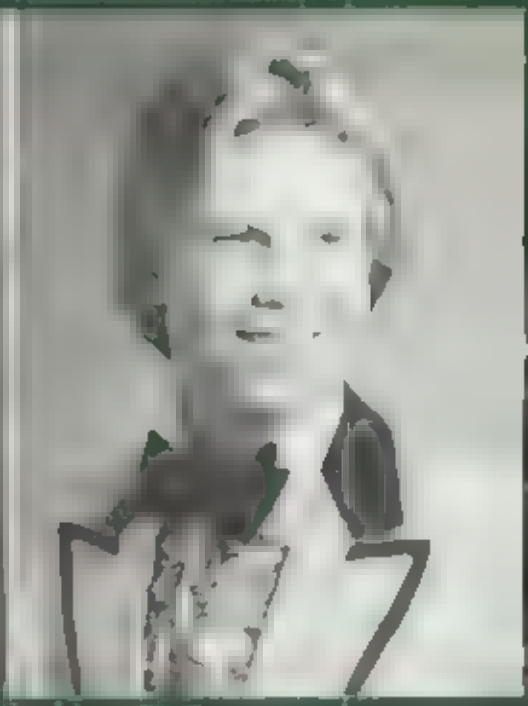
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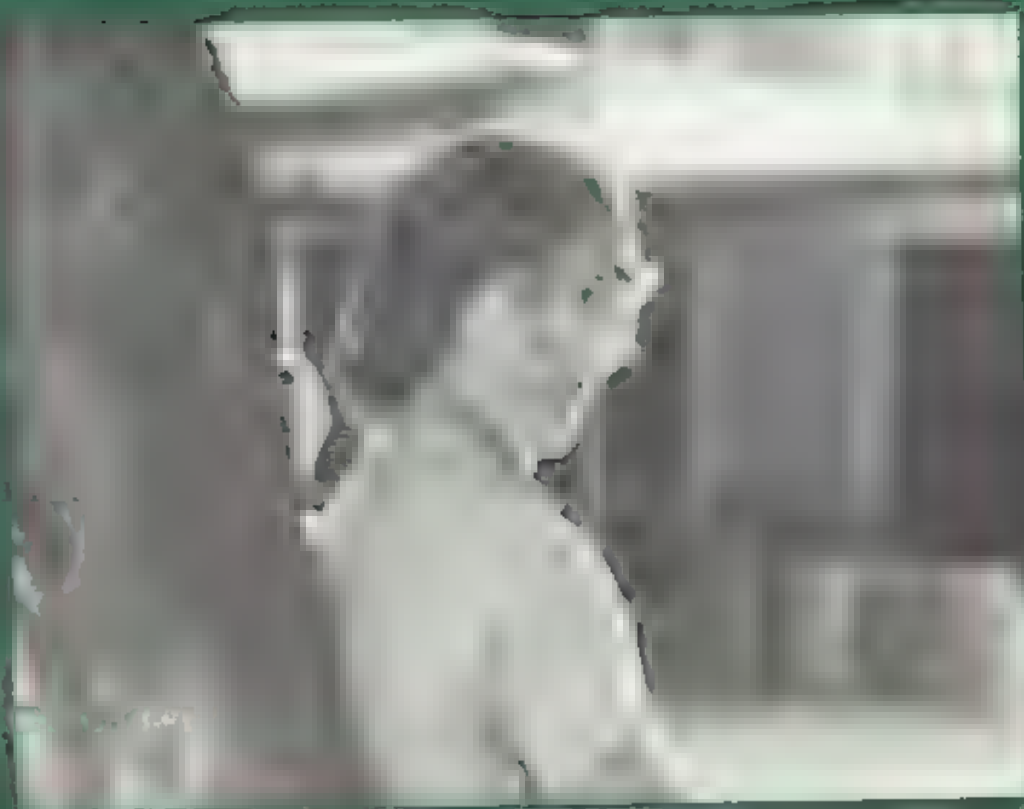




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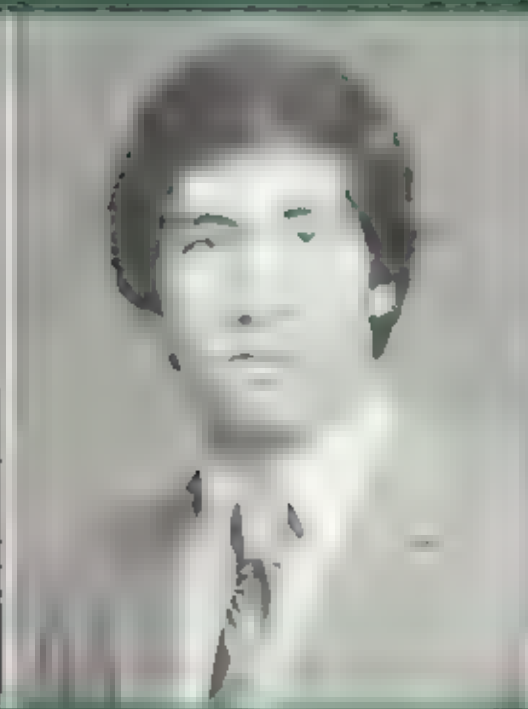




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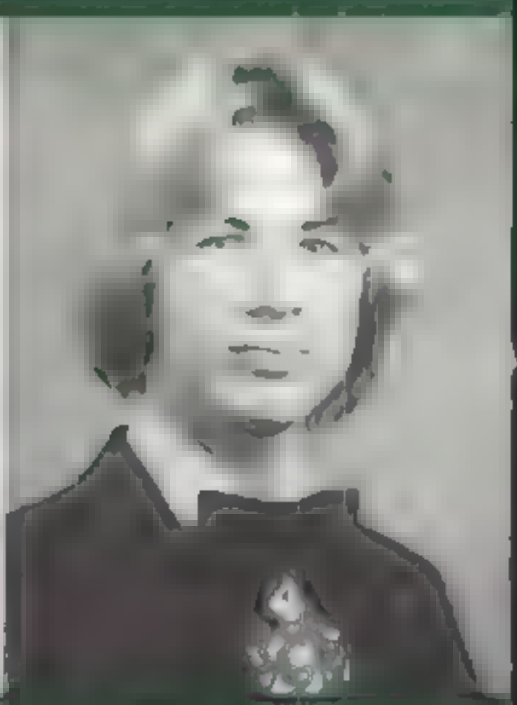


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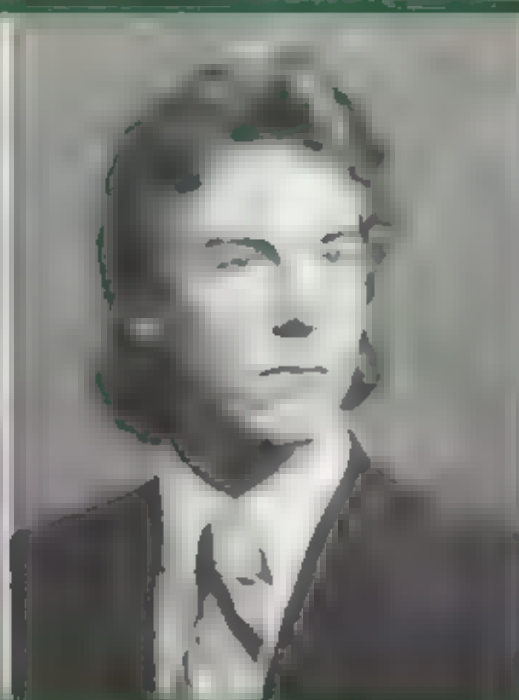
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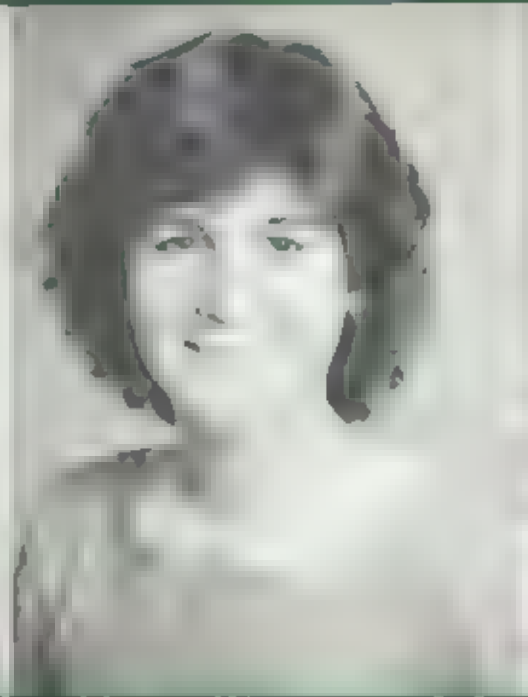


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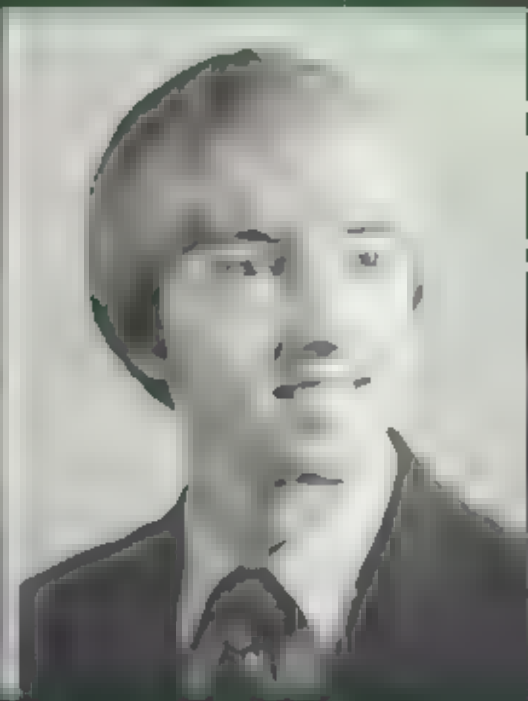
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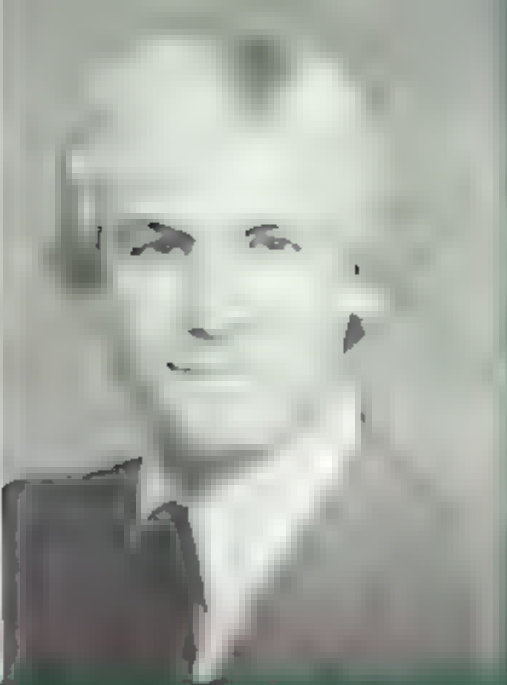
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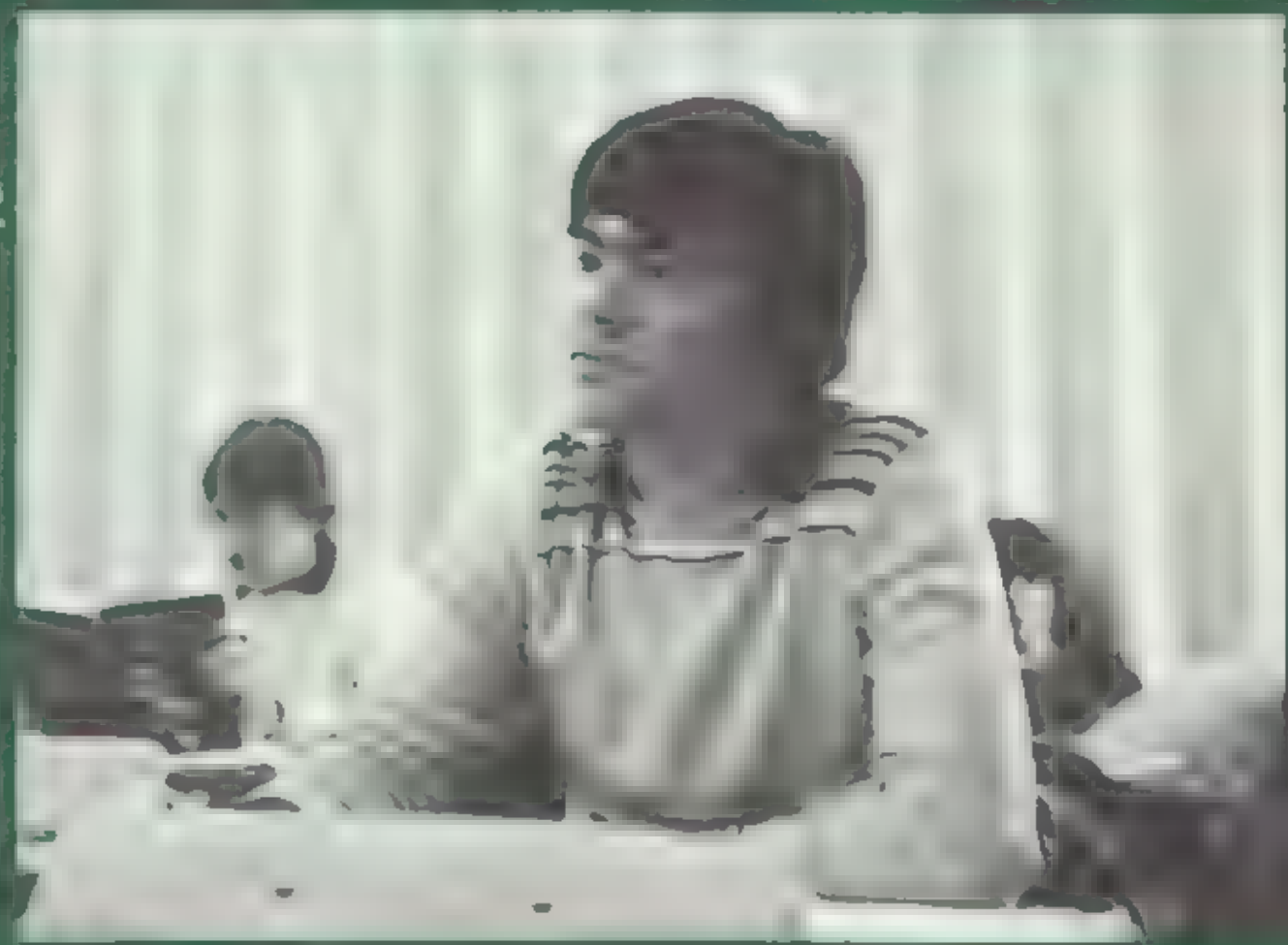


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"Walter Scott's hair experiment is working well, but hardly." The latest pop styles are what Darlette Nations tries to wear. "I think that it might be time for a shave." Kevin Derry ponders the relationship of social studies to a school science.



"One of the most important things to remember is don't take high school too seriously. When you get caught up in the emotions, problems and distractions of others, that's when the depression sets in. Remember that everything will eventually appear to be."

"I was scared when I first came to Rio but now I just laugh and enjoy the emotional rollercoaster."



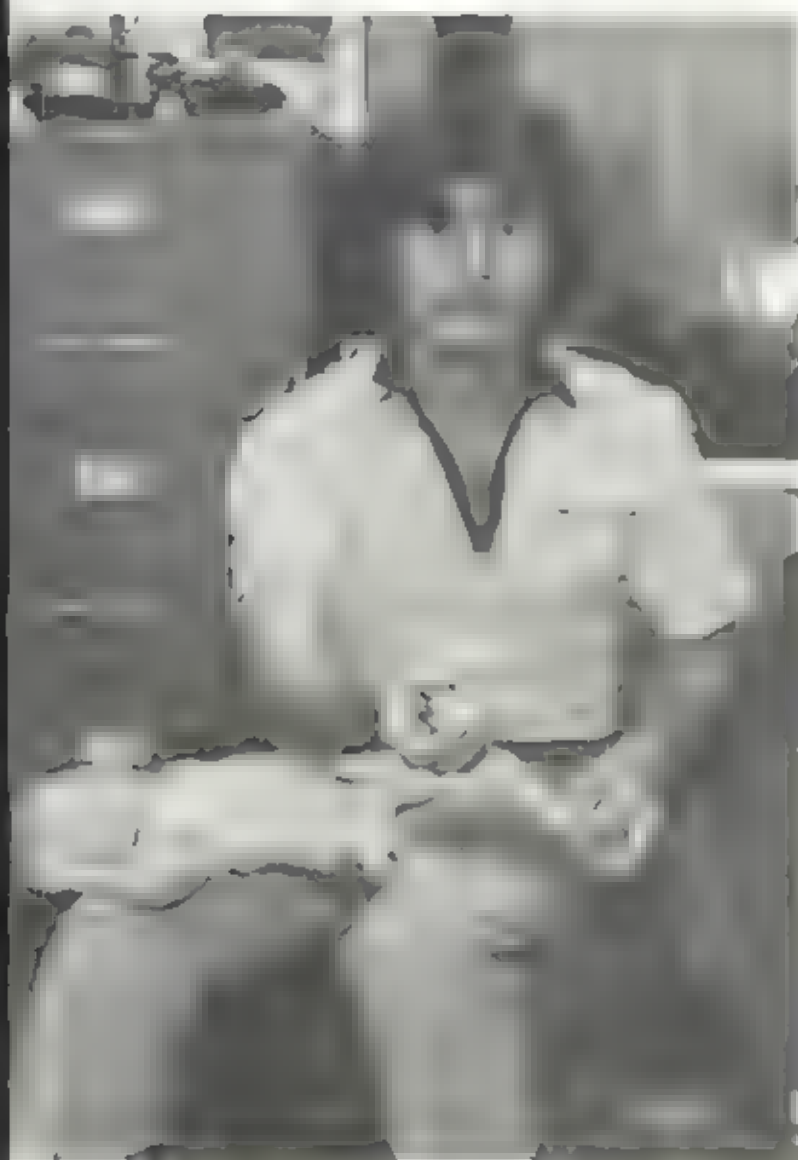
"It is a far, far better thing I do now"





1. For Heidi Ailanjian, Art class is a great place to catch up on an English assignment. 2. Enca Cook, Amy Grebitus, and Elaine Argys were "stand-ins" for the alumni queens during the Homecoming parade. 3. "I really didn't think that the morning after could feel this bad." 4. Joyce Bacon is engrossed in one of the truly fascinating English novels. 5. Donna Wills is really getting a lot of education out of her physics class. 6. Jerry Shelton is practicing to become a 'daddy,' and it's never too early to start. 7. Craig Simmons gets 'face-to-face' with Mrs. Bev Sahm.

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Those people who say High school was the best years of my life are totally clueless."

"School? . . . Homework? . . . Now guys, don't even make me laugh."



"Senior year would have been fun . . . If I had graduated three years ago!"





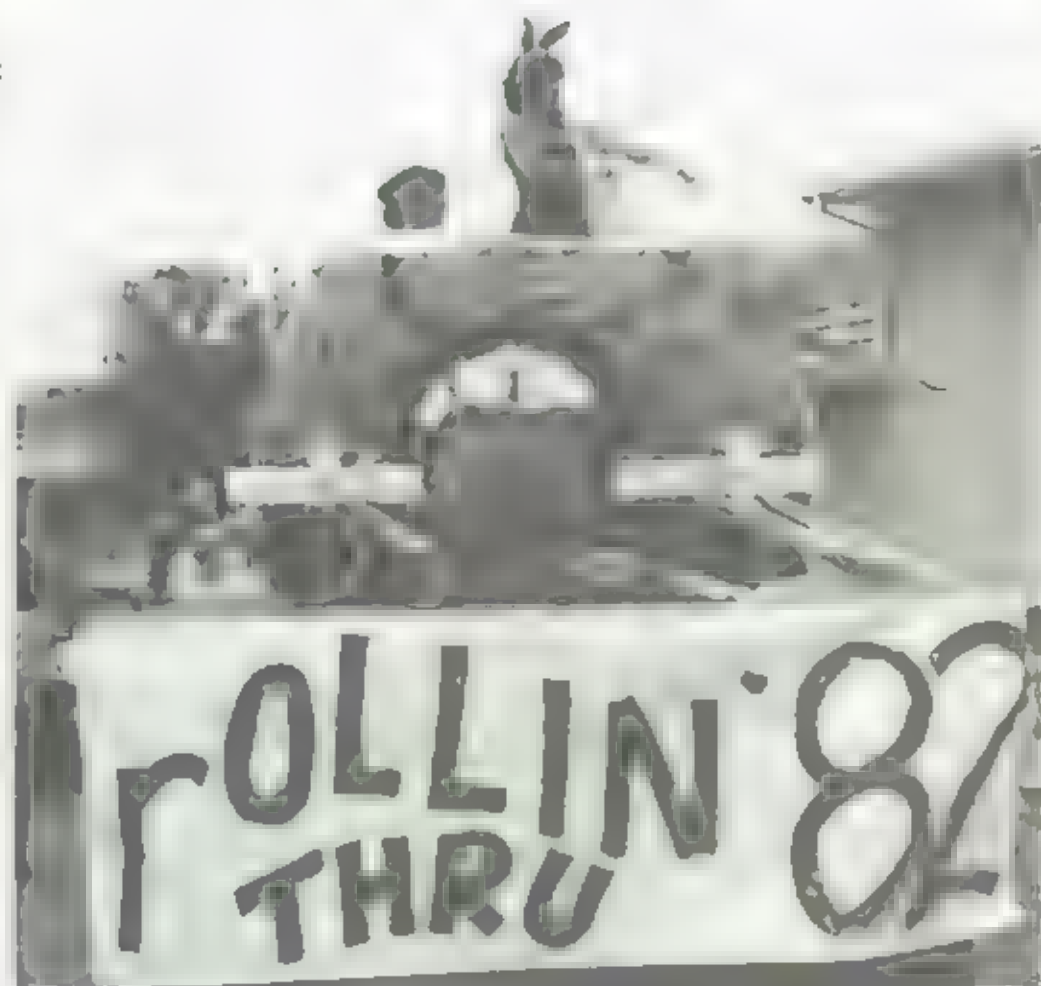
1 Kathy Duncan makes a toast in her art class  
2 Even the easiest things in life get the complete attention of Amy Cavanaugh. 3. Vic Davis finds that studying mathematics can be fascinating. 4. For Joyce Bacon, science is a way of life  
5. "I know that I am going to be sick" 6. John Bayless explores the possibilities of life after high school. 7. Seniors were just 'rollin' thru 82

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"The cliques at Rio make life very exciting. Without the cliques, some of us might even have to develop our own personalities."



MOST TALENTED



MOST WILD AND CRAZY



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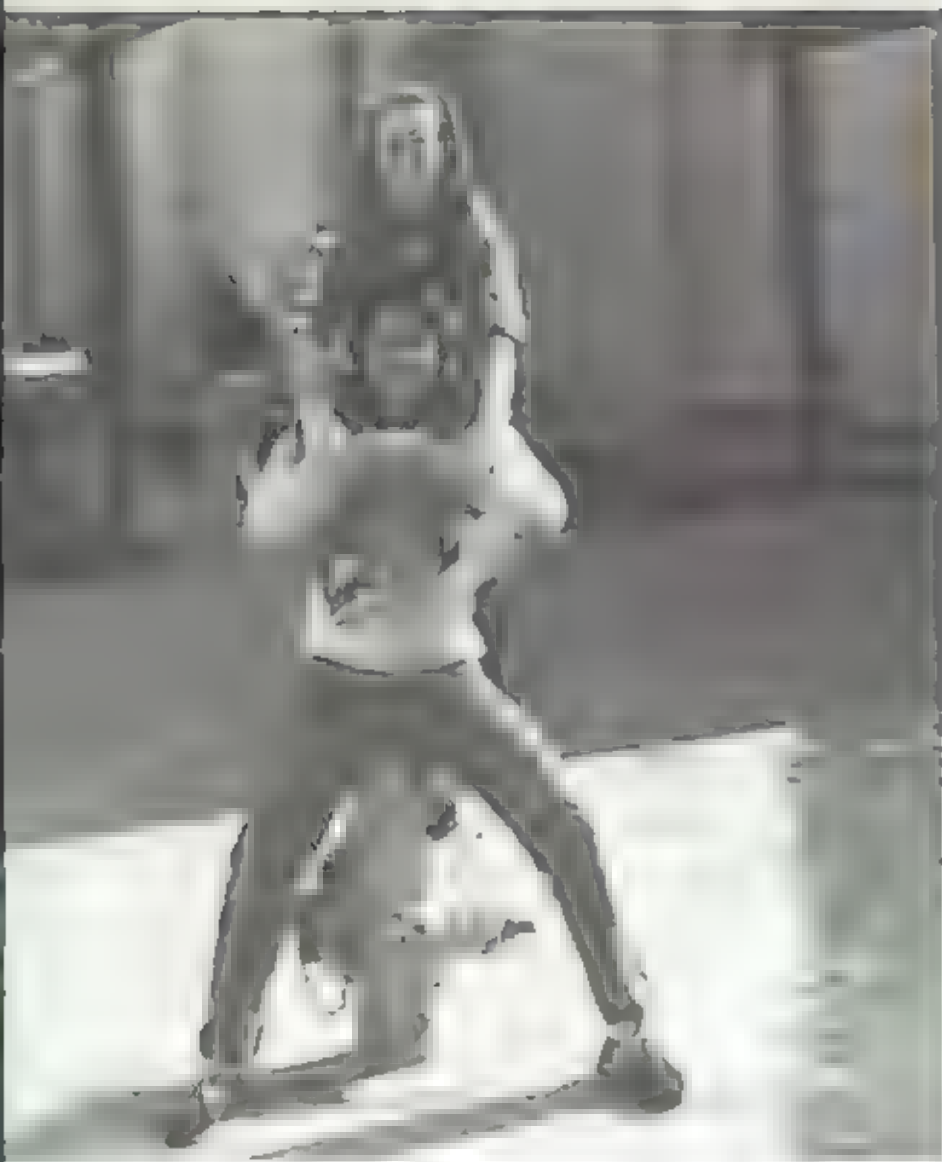


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Another year has passed us by and we must face the future as Seniors. The school year of 1981-82 has been a very successful and active one for the Juniors class. It has been a year filled with learning experiences and achievements. It has also been the most unsurpassable for class involvement and spirit, which has made my position of president much more fulfilling and enjoyable. Thank you for your support and concern

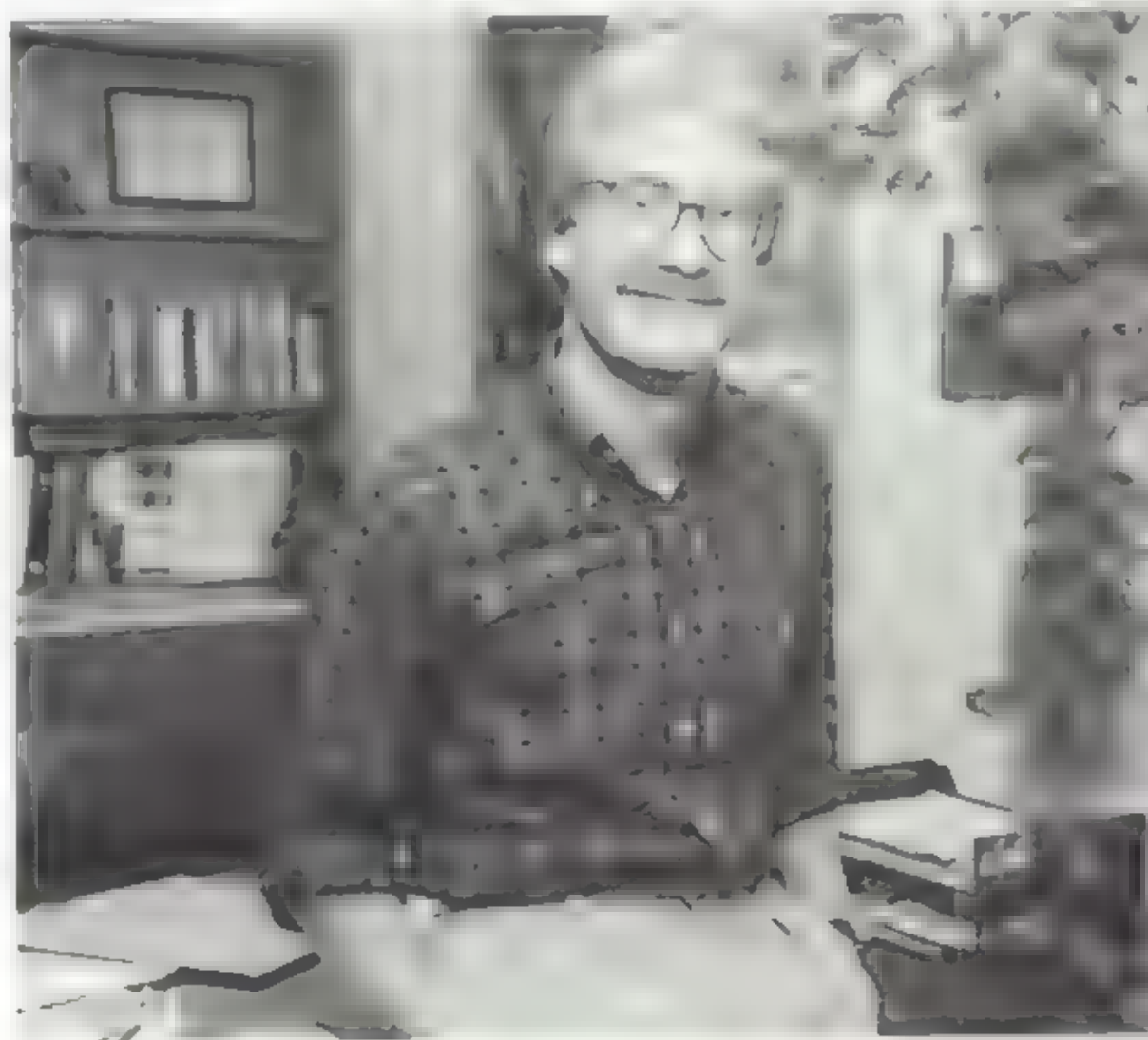
SUSAN BOWER  
Junior Class President

What makes me laugh about Rio is the same thing that makes me laugh at myself. Often, I get so wound up in what I am doing that I view the situation as a life and death issue. I run around as though it all mattered. Where in fact, most things work out if I just give them a chance. The same runs true about Rio. Often, if we would take a deep breath and look at the situation, we would see it can be resolved. Rio makes me laugh in that we often "awfulize" a particular situation and are not willing to relax like Chickens with our heads cut off?

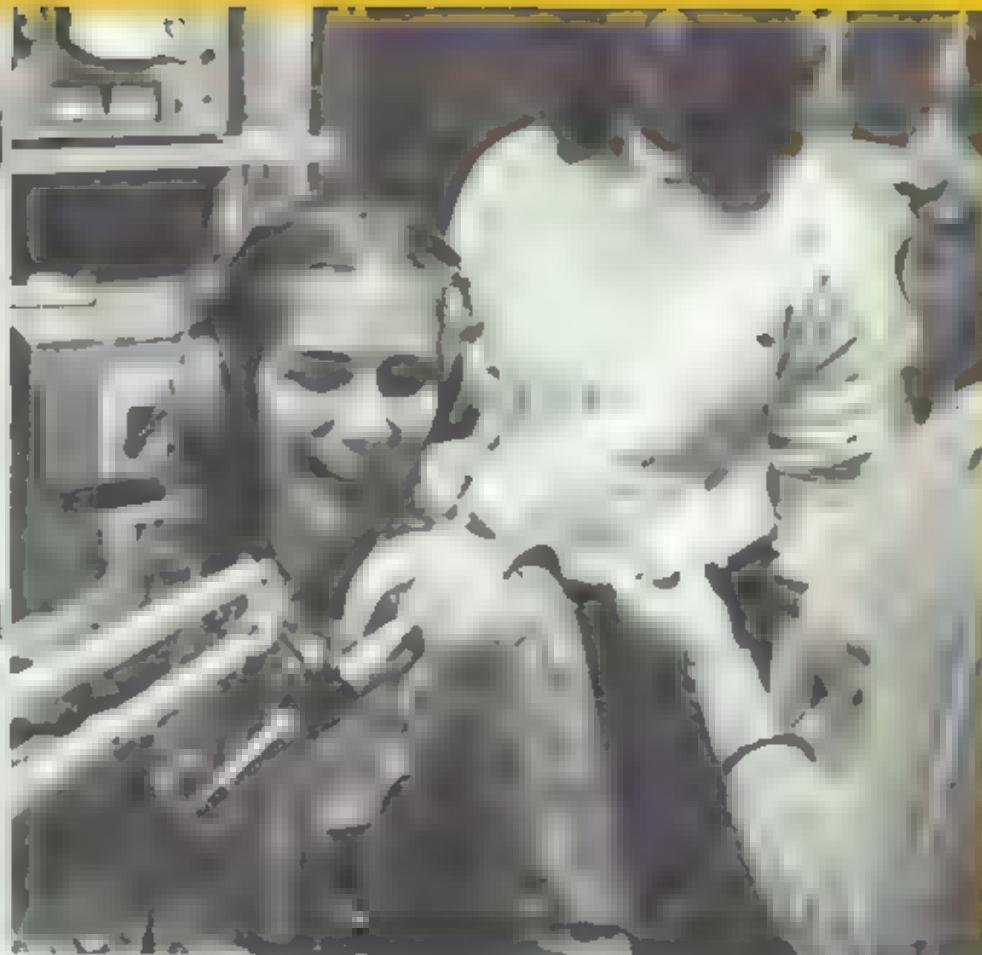
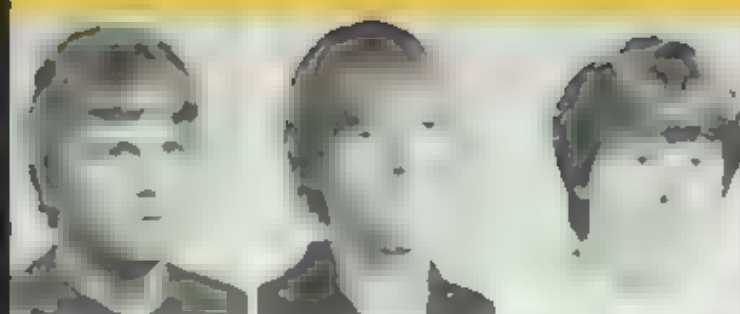
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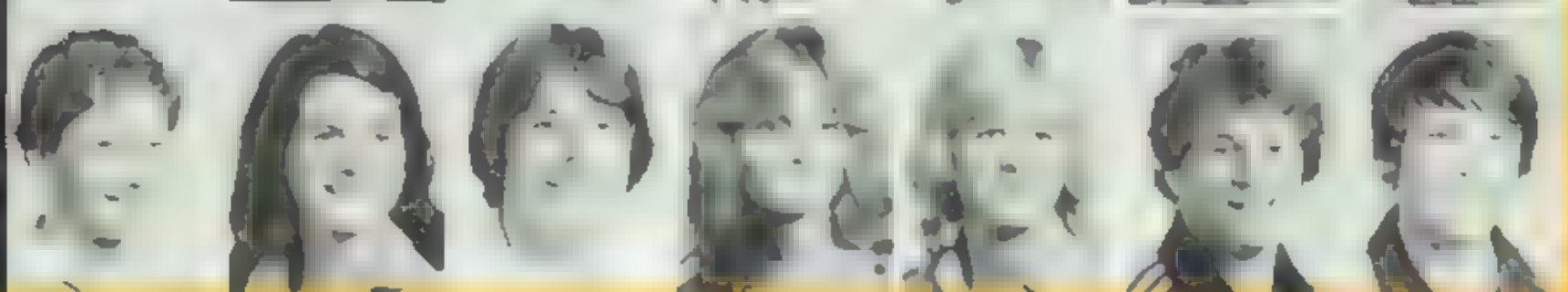
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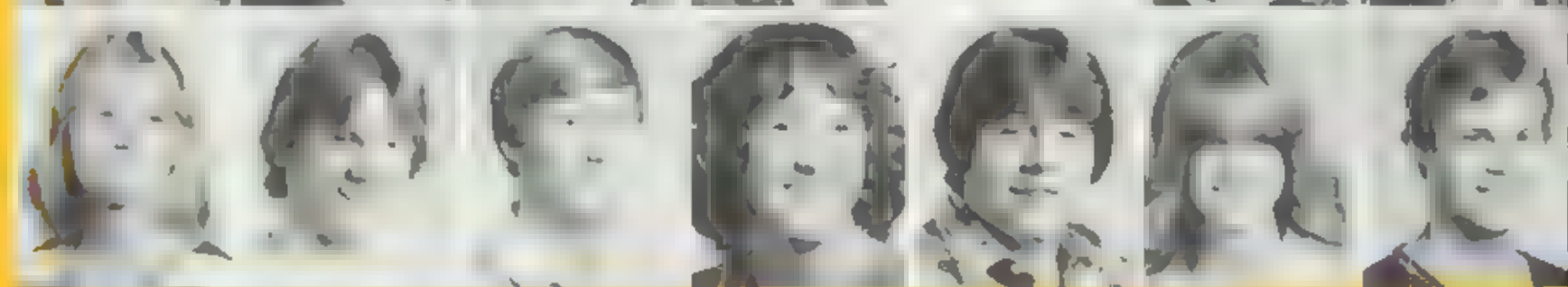
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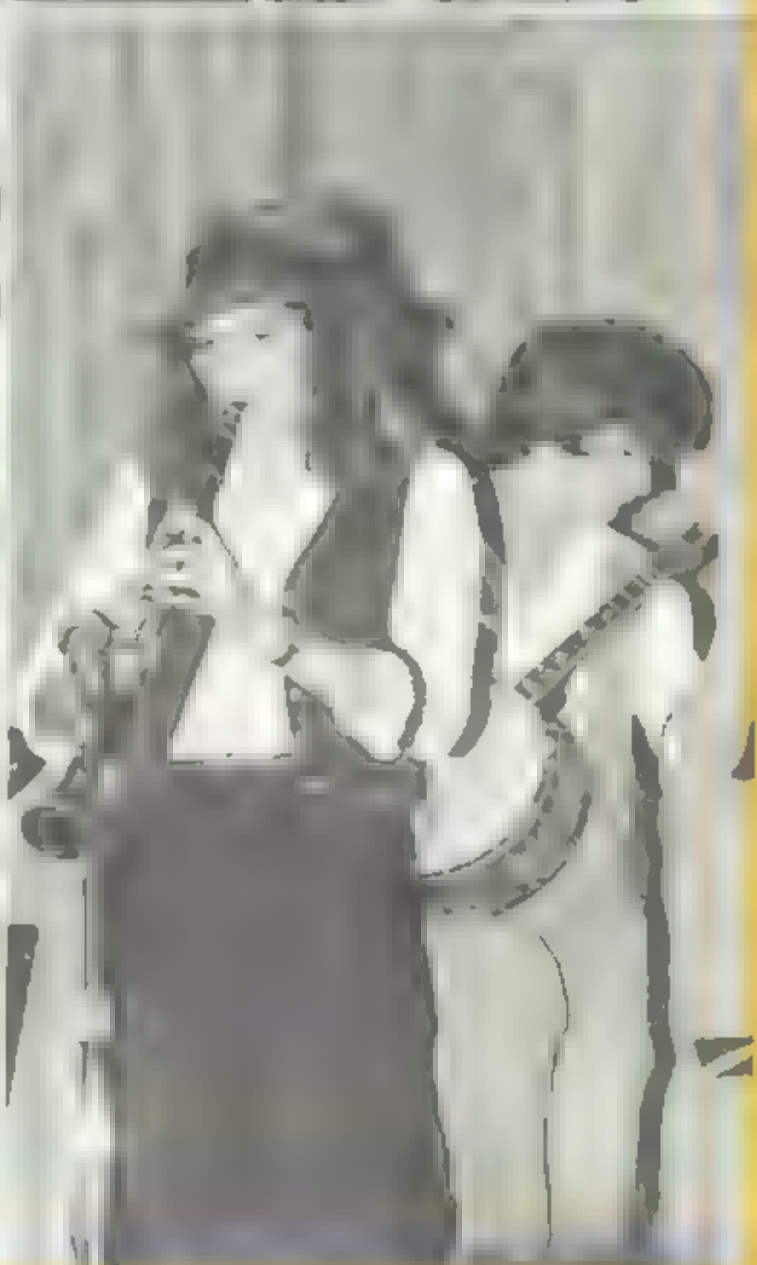
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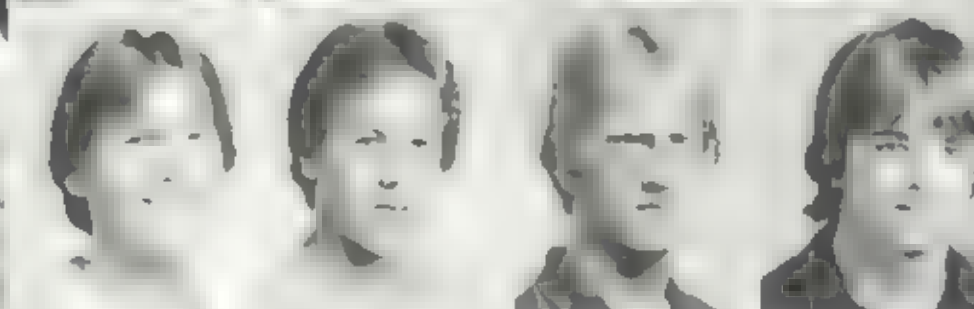
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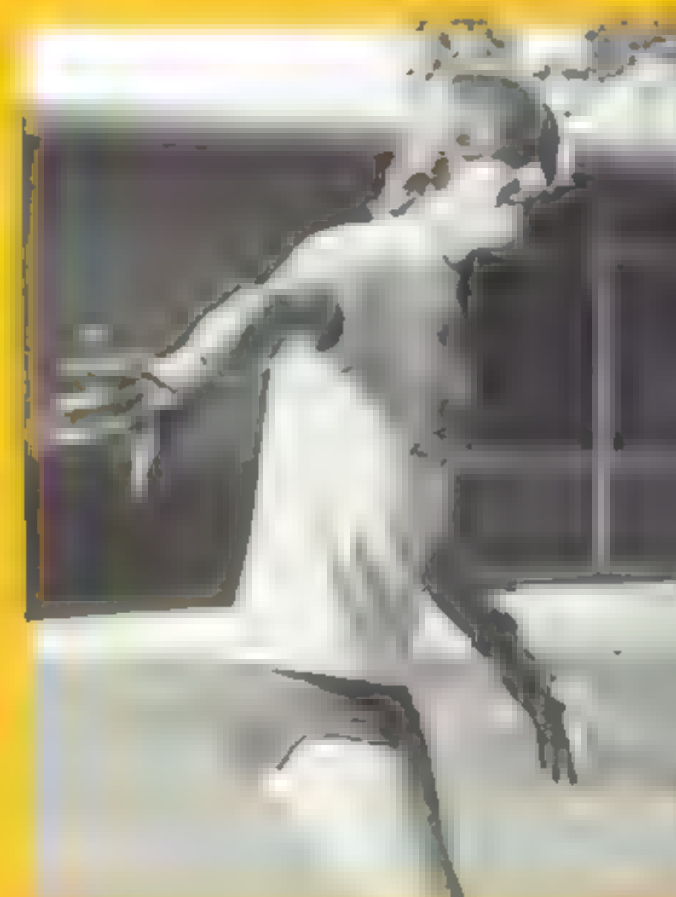
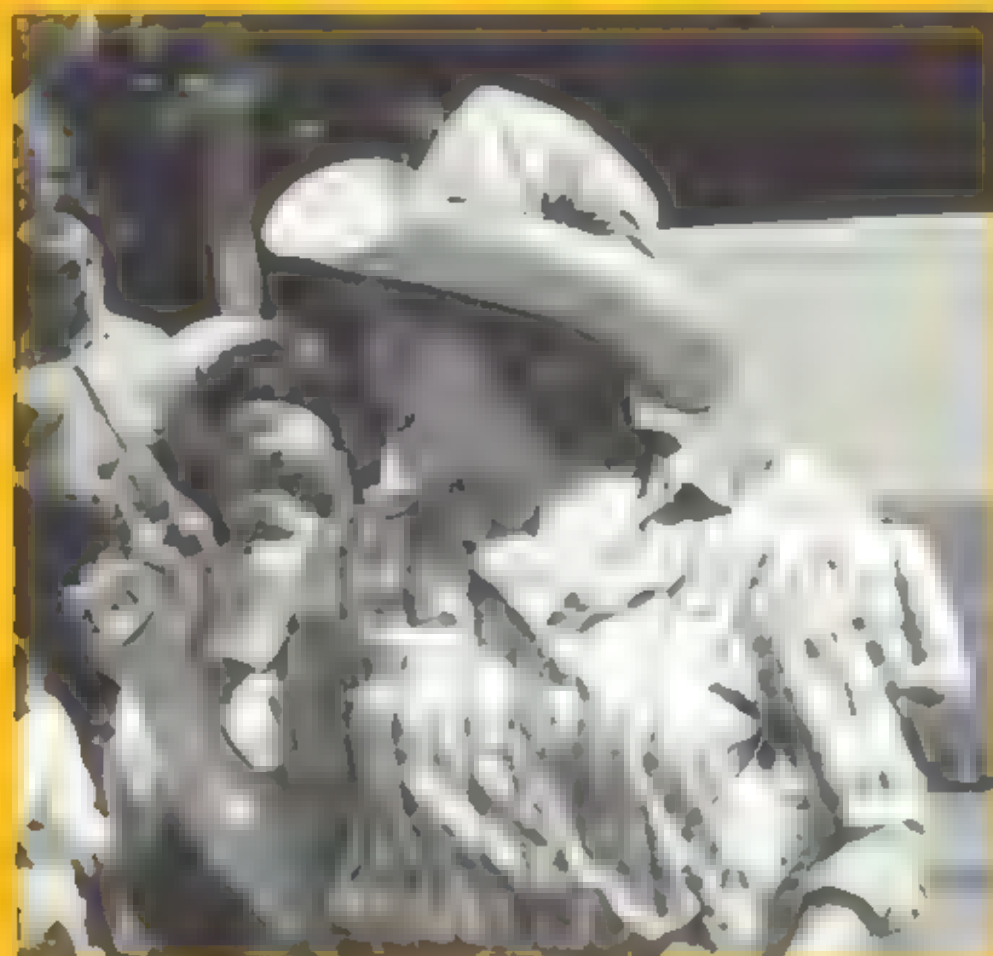
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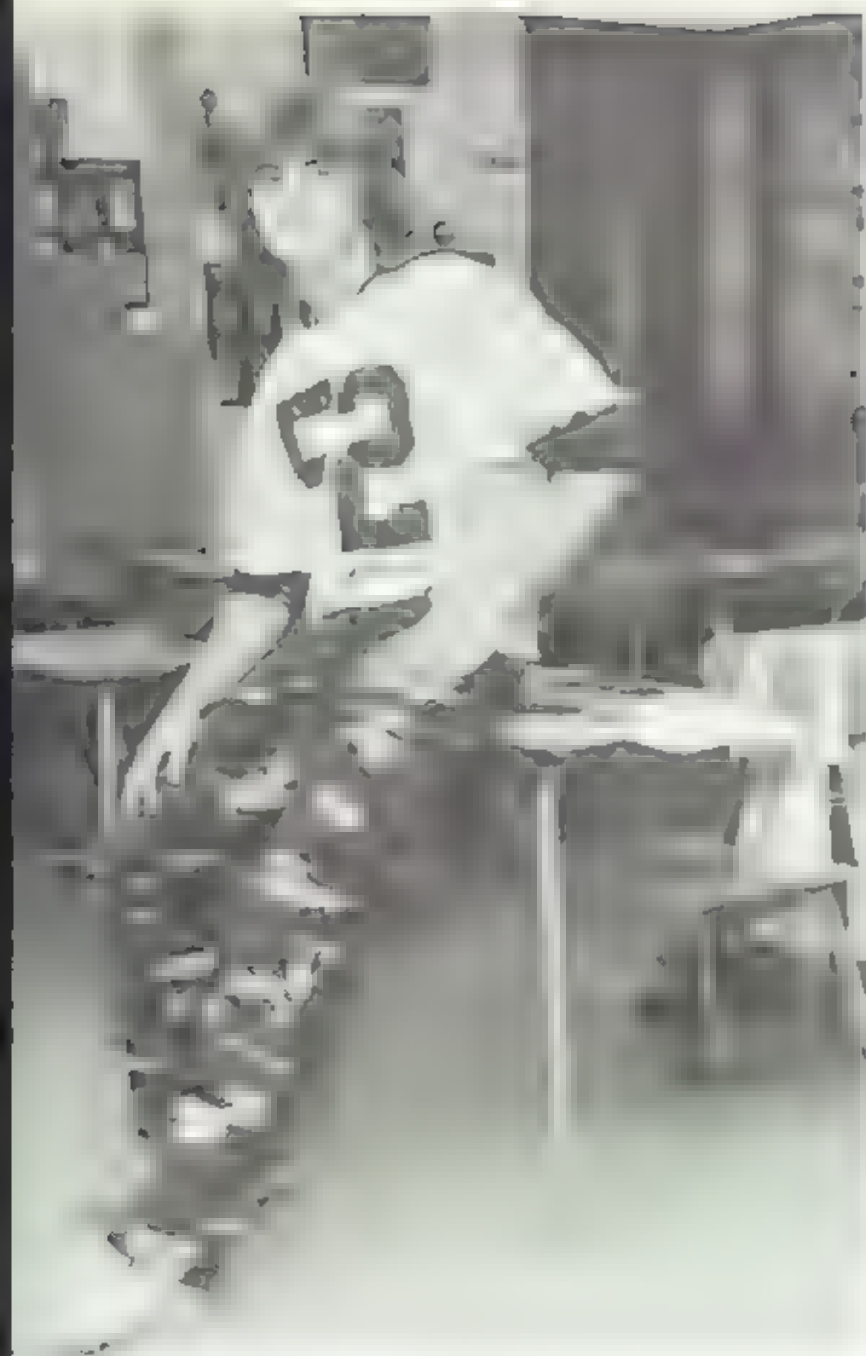


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1. "And you said that I wasn't a STUD . ." 2. "Good Morning, This is Katrina Frank on KRAT " 3. "No, Mr Huyck, I'm not your thingy-bober " 4. Andrea Margolis looks bewildered during her mid-morning voyage to Mars



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"The juniors seem to be at war with each other. Half of them are going "over the edge," and the other half are pushing them over."

1. Rita Frink looks completely frustrated upon hearing Betty Miller's grading system 2. Wendy Morton leads the RA'ettes in one of their spectacular flashes 3. Romona Frescas is quite pleased with the education she is receiving at Rio 4. "WHAT? I don't think I like that!" 5. Maggie Parsons explores the world of drafting 6. Heid B lings flashes one of the song leaders famous poses. 7. Marietta Bollman seems to enjoy French tremendously



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"Junior year is like walking through the "Twilight Zone" — You really don't know whether you are coming or going"

The class of 1984 is slowly but surely moving up at Rio. No longer do we wander around for hours looking for a certain classroom or have upper classmen call us "Froshs." At the beginning of this year our class was deeply in debt, but after hard work and participation by all class members this debt has been nullified. The class of '84 has grown much closer as a class, because of this the spirit and enthusiasm of the class have risen sharply. I enjoyed being President and am thankful to the class for having elected me

Kevin Johnson  
Sophomore Class President

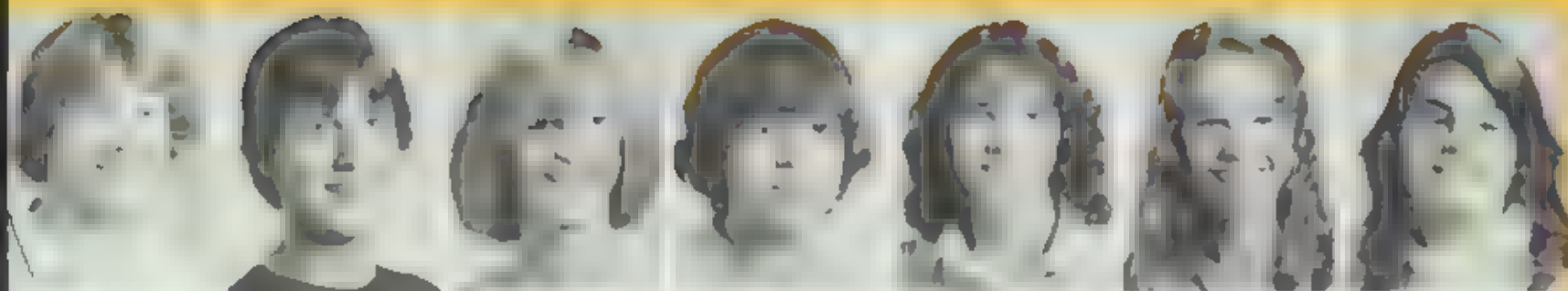
Last year as I wrote, we were just beginning as an entering freshman class and counselor. Now here we are half way through! In these first two years I have come to appreciate more and more the quality of the class of 84. The students of the Sophomore class have proven to be responsible, creative, and diverse. They have received compliments during the year from many different sources including the community, the administration, and the other counselors here at Rio. I want to commend the entire class on your successful completion of the first half of your high school career. Have a wonderful summer!

Tern Drake  
Sophomore Counselor



Sophomore Class Officers (back row) Wayne Orvick, Treasurer Rob Koveil, Vice President, Kevin Johnson, President, Kyu Kahn, Secretary, not pictured Julie Bargones, Representative





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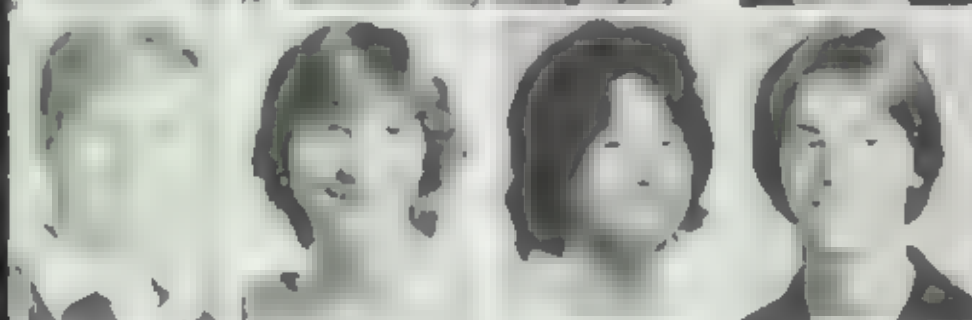
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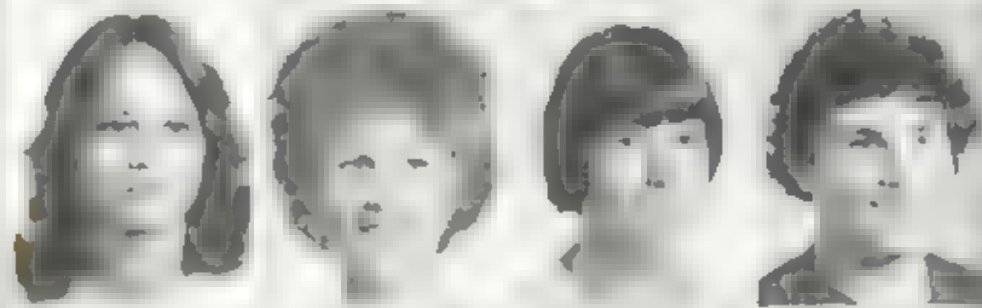
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1 When the coach sticks his fingers up in the air, does that mean that he want us to get up? 2 Jeannie Ferry looks distraught while being whispered-in-the-ear by Senior Kip Rahe. Jodi Franz just smiles approvingly. 3 Paul Medina looks for an open man during a JV basketball game.





1 Sophomore princess and Key Club Sweetheart Jeannie Farry rides with her father in the Homecoming parade 2 Carol (Poprocks) Conner gets intense during the foreign language food festival 3. "Round and round you go!" 4. "Howdy Partner!" Patti Holmes really gets into the Western look. 5. "Well I'm standing as fast as I can!" 6. "How studious I pretend to be." 7. Sophomores enjoy "lunching" on the quad





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Our first year at Rio has been quite a learning process. We came here with little knowledge or expectations that we could make an impact as Freshmen. However, the Class of '85 has "has held it's own" in student functions! There are many additional activities and ideas that we were not able to impliment this year, but with each successful year, the Class of '85 should have more knowledge, expenence, and maturity to make many significant contributions to Rio Americano

CHRISSI TANAKA  
Freshman Class President

For me, the freshman year is one of many mixed feelings. There is the anxiety of the unknown in September when a sea of new faces greet me and I wonder what the next four years will be like with them. There is frustration in trying to put the right names with the faces and make them come to mind when I want them to. There is a feeling of impatience when it seems to be taking too long for some of us to develop a sense of trust with each other. There is a great sense of warmth and pleasure when others of us have developed a good feeling of friendship and communication

I think it will be a good four years for all of us. This year has gone well. The class is an aggregation of energetic, talented and enthusiastic people. Their interests, activities and goals are as diverse as would be found in a small city.

As I have gotten to know each freshman a little better and a little more my sense of adventure has grown and I am hooked by their charm and their head long rush into their destinies

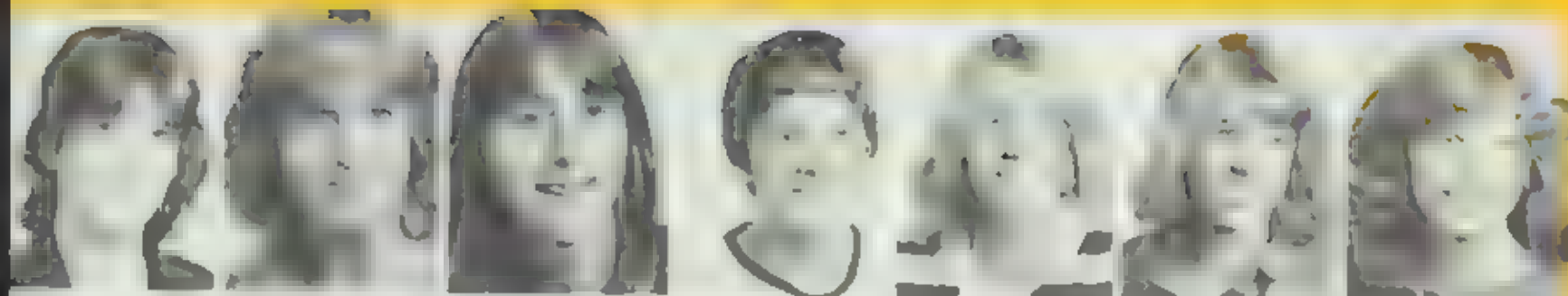
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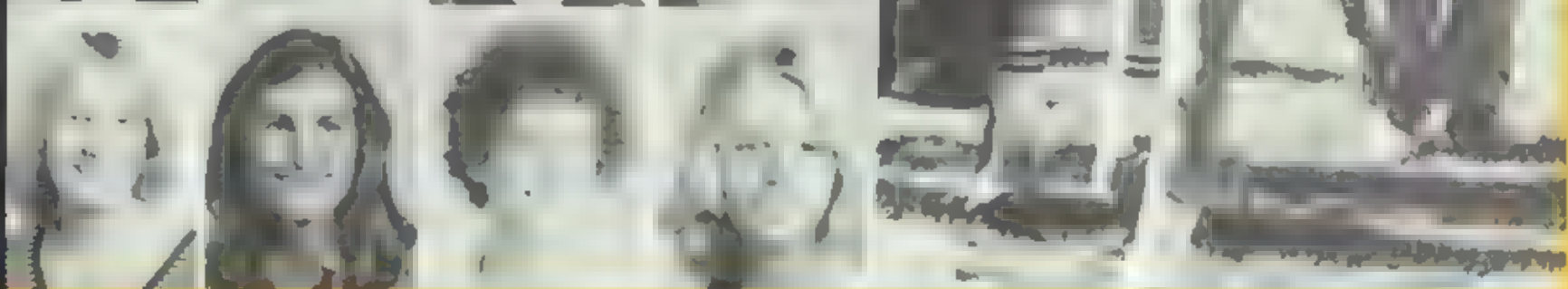
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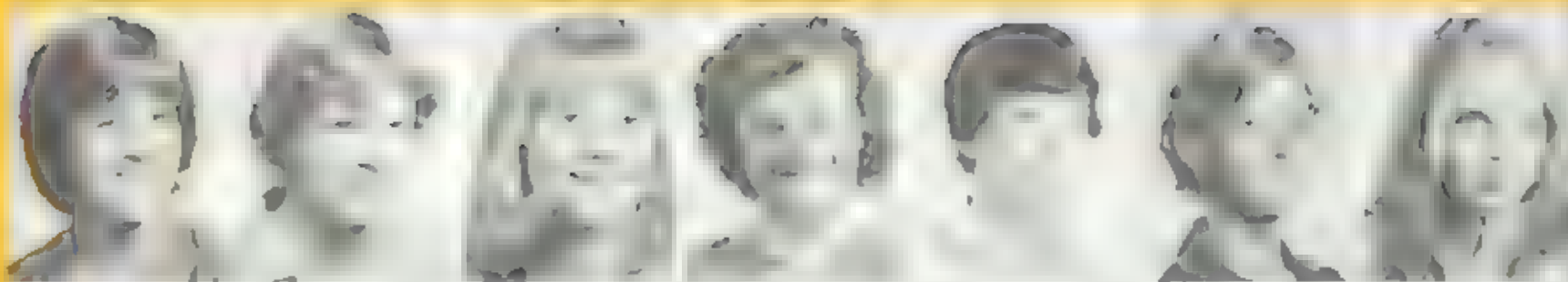
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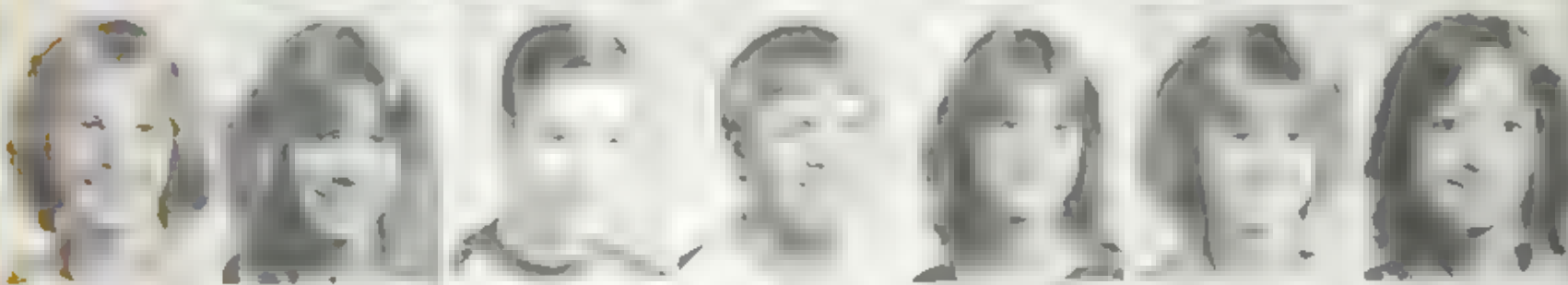
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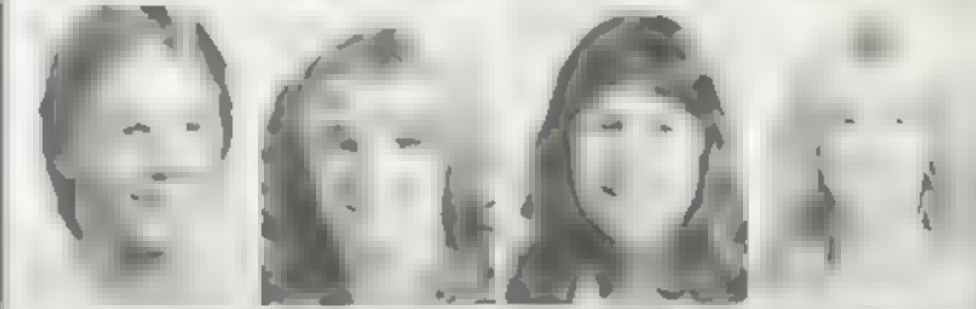
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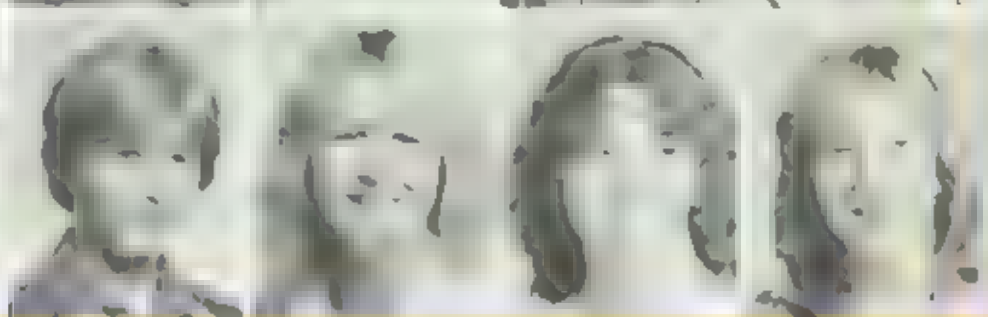
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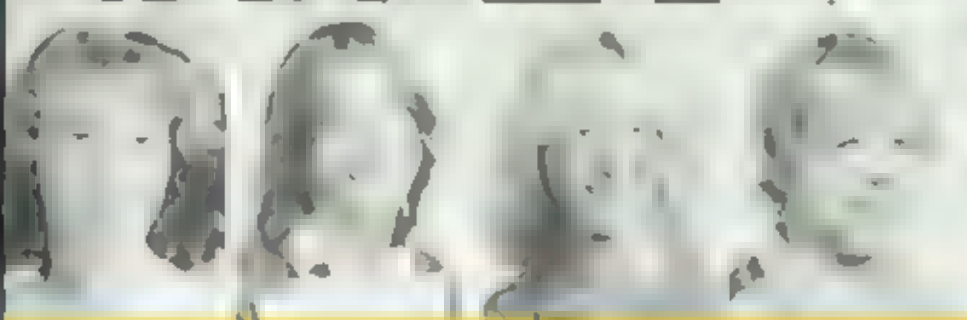
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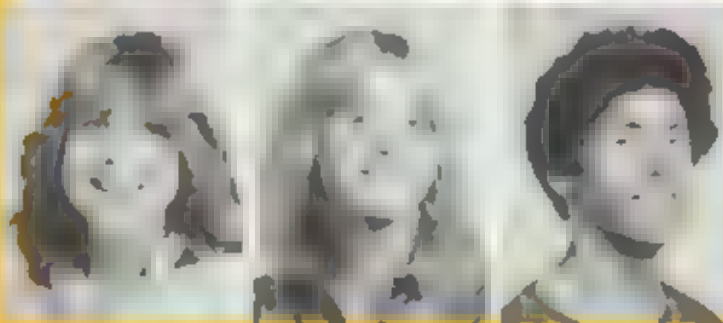
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1 Freshman princess Lennie Stachelek is excited during the 1981 Homecoming parade 2. "Hi! We're frosh, and we're proud!" 3 The freshman team had a little trouble building a pyramid during Sports Spectacular 4. Julie Sherburne likes to keep her eyes on her work



1. Art is a fascinating way to relieve tension for Peter Wishim 2. Al Wickers is a major tennis prospect for all interested colleges — OK, maybe in 1985? 3. Peter Cooper enjoys the more intellectual avenues which Rio provides. 4. Crissi Tanaka cheers her girls soccer team on to victory 5. Lennie Stachelek enjoys bundling up after a hard race. 6. John Bayless and Ryan Scott are really just freshmen at heart. 7. "Side ball in the corner pocket — Whoops! Wrong game" 8. Danise Junch is one who believes in the "New Wave"



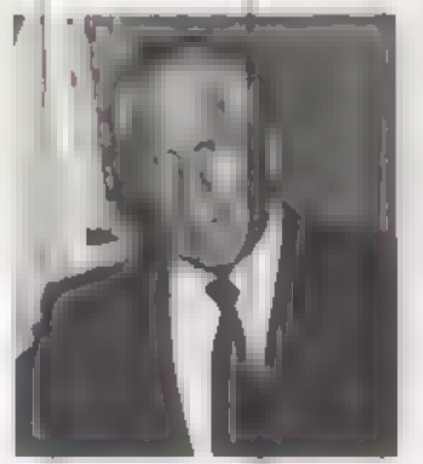




'The freshman year is really exciting, it's a fresh start and everything's new. It's the experience of a lifetime, but if you really don't know what's going on, you're gonna get burned!'

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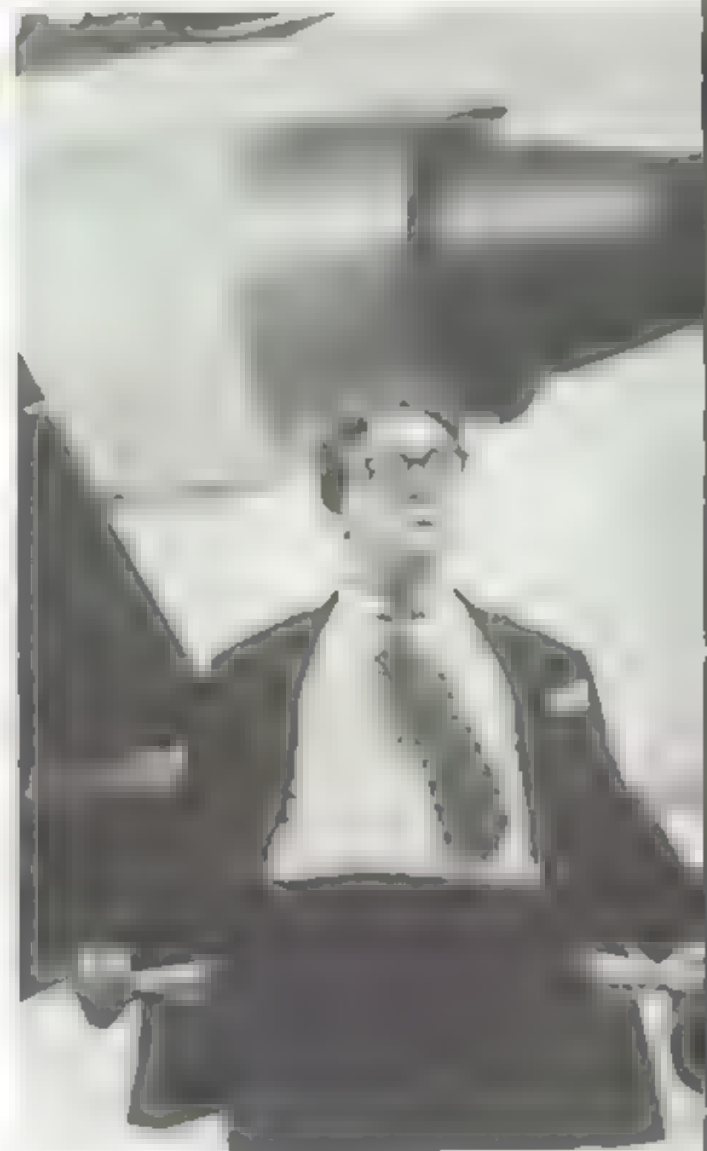
## SPORTS

This is for all the time we've spent  
 together and all the things we've done,  
 like going to parties as long as we can,  
 staying up till 4/4 in the morning, calling  
 that a song & trying to repeat the story,  
 and then trying to call out the next day  
 and you were to drink to remember  
 it. And then you were taking a long drive  
 to the station, sitting there & waiting  
 for the train to come.

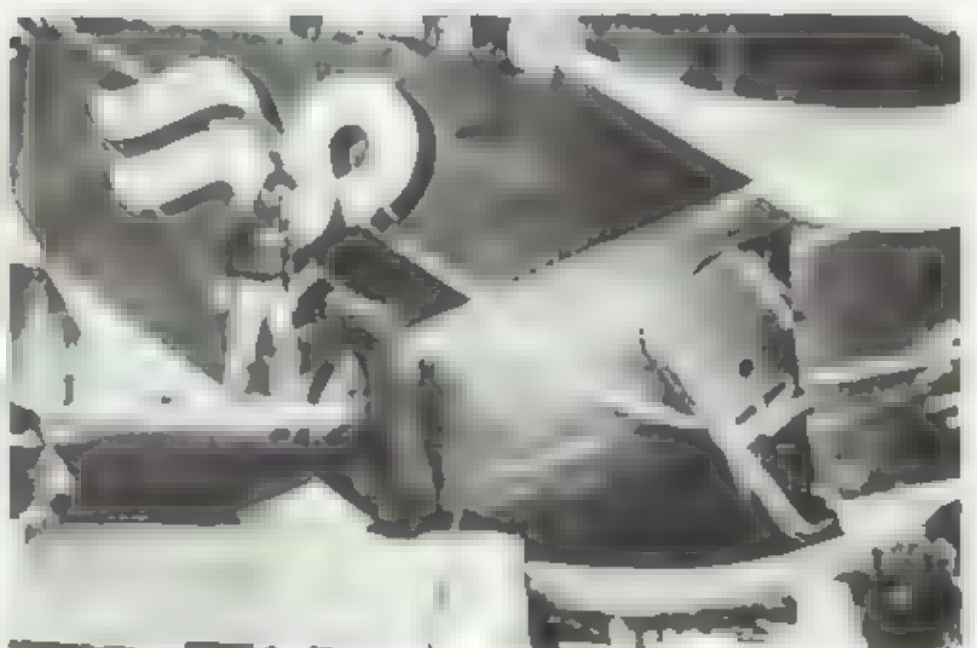
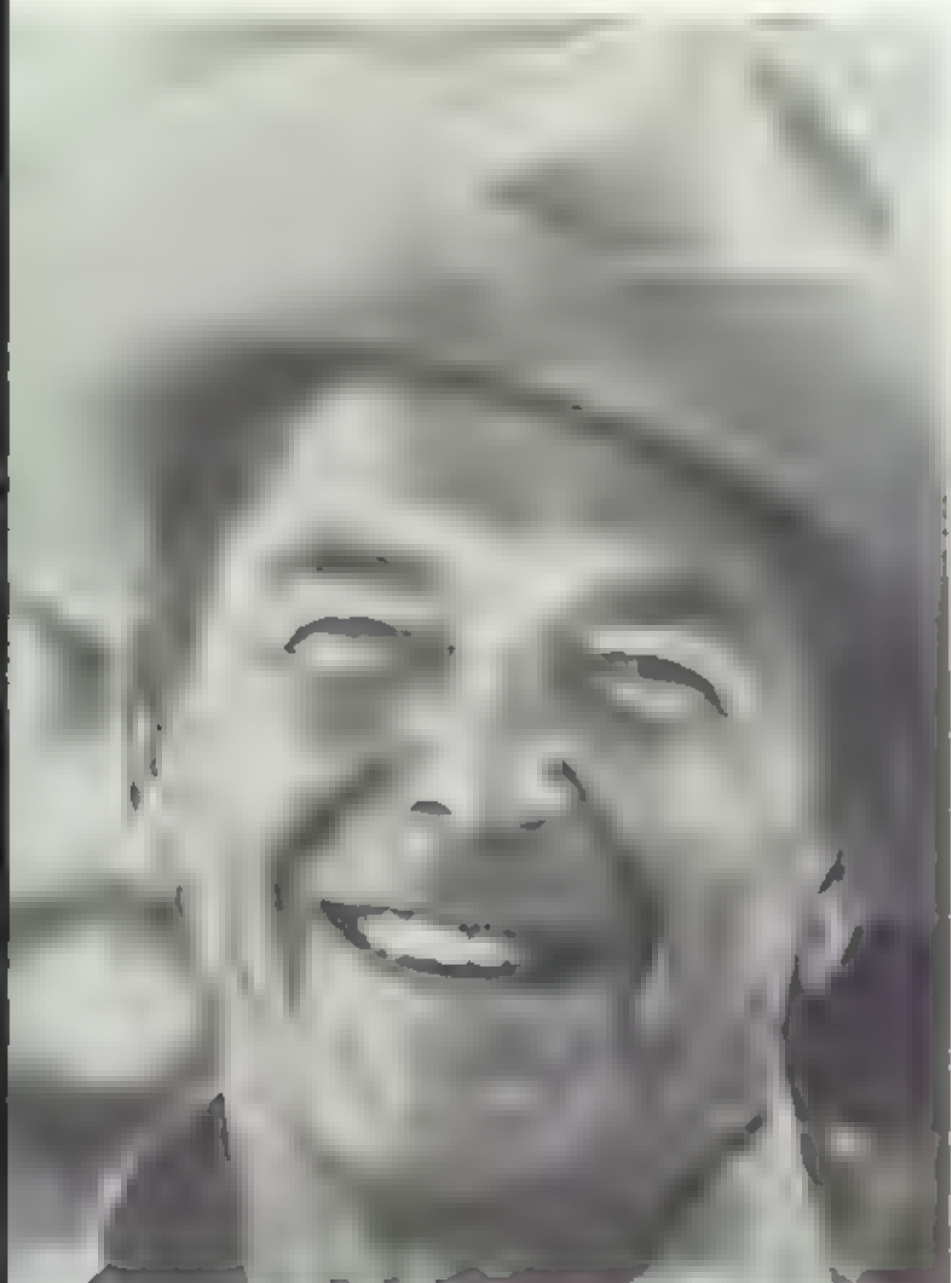


Media coverage expanded to bring us more than we actually wanted to know, and through that medium we increased knowledge about Farrah and Lee, Farrah and Ryan, Ryan and Tatum, Tatum and whoever, whatever. The students were aware of the hideousness of "media blitzes" and consequently, many obnoxious juvenile movies and television programs fell by the wayside. The students were aware, though, of their importance in the future of the world and seemed to accept the challenges with "Open Arms."

Chloe is sleeping with a male on the waterbed, the boyfriend and male coach, both from the same club, are going to school, and wife coaches, jumping to the company, and spending a lot of money after school at McDonald's, swimming in the freezing pool in January to get ready for finals, swimming races in the hall, street lights.







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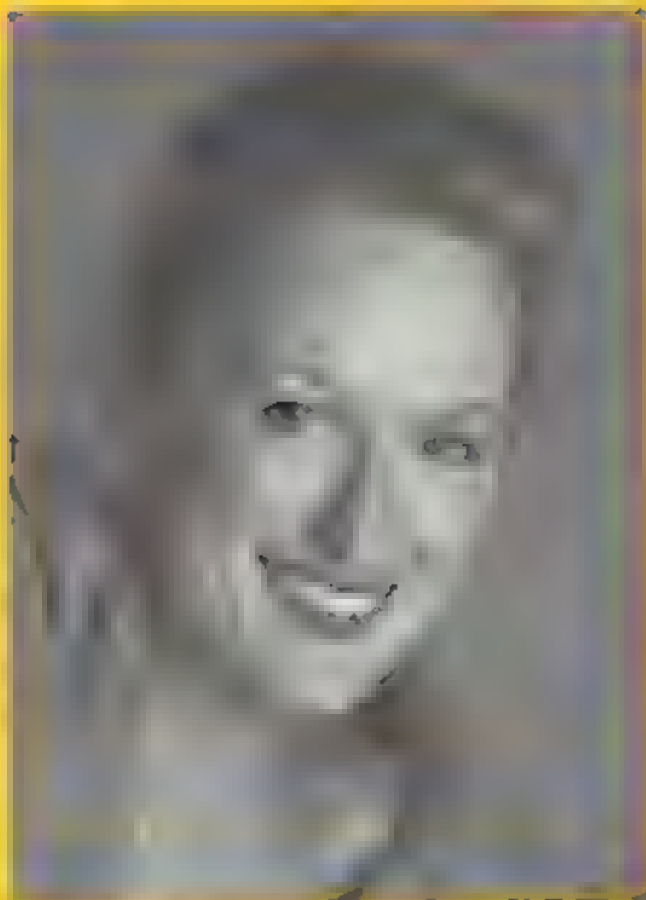


M. Marshall.  
Welp, this is it I'm here  
in fun. Day did me  
about to seriously though  
Chemistry. Remember when  
you cut Hergoys class  
what a last leaving was  
I can't have the technical  
well, I'm out of trouble  
and so be the class now  
from front  
not  
hope  
an ups  
in ansage  
deh.



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9. BO DEREK (3)
10. LINDA EVANS



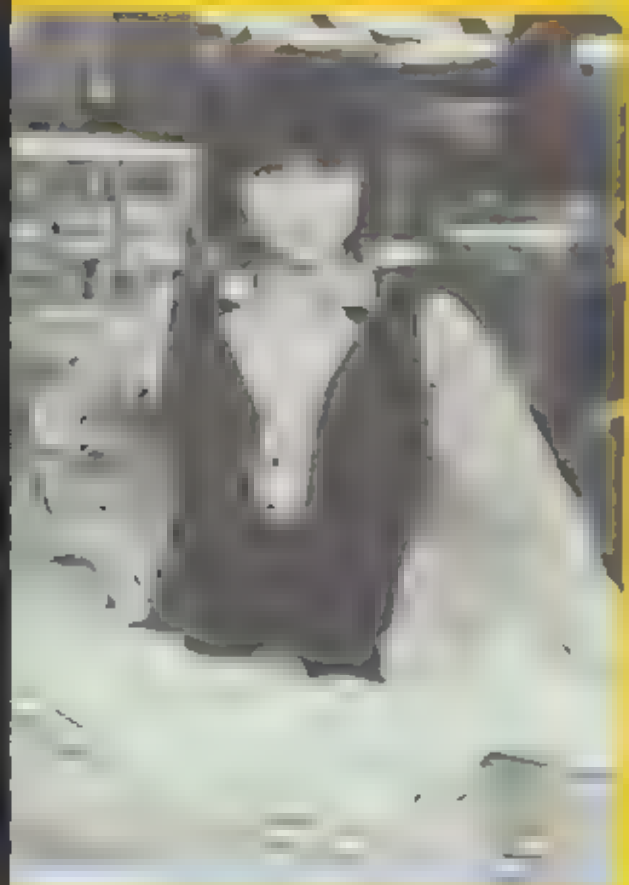
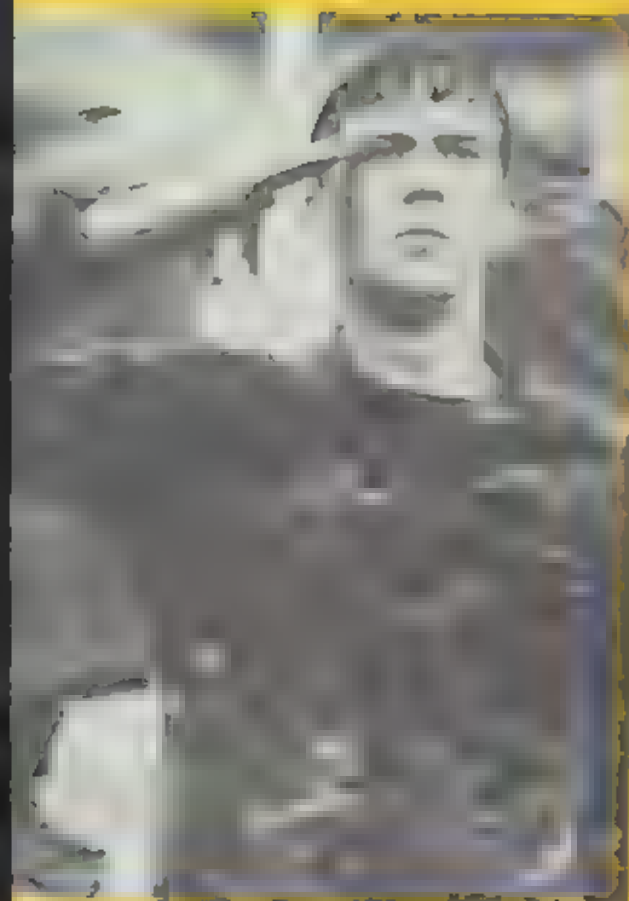
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10. HARRISON FORD



1. RAIDERS OF THE LOST ARK
2. TAPS
3. REDS
4. ABSENCE OF MALICE
5. SHARKEY'S MACHINE
6. MODERN PROBLEMS
7. FRENCH LIEUTENANT'S WOMAN
8. ARTHUR
9. TIME BANDITS
10. RAGTIME



The annual "school favorites" survey was held in the month of January, with 700 students participating. The results of that poll can be found on these two pages. Newcomers such as Tom Selleck, Mary Streep, The Go-Go's, General Hospital and Kuluha dominated the survey, while "established favorites," such as beer, MASH, Jane Fonda, and Burt Reynolds continued to "make their mark." Above all, the survey captures the diversity of tastes in the student body. The numbers in parentheses represent last year's rankings.

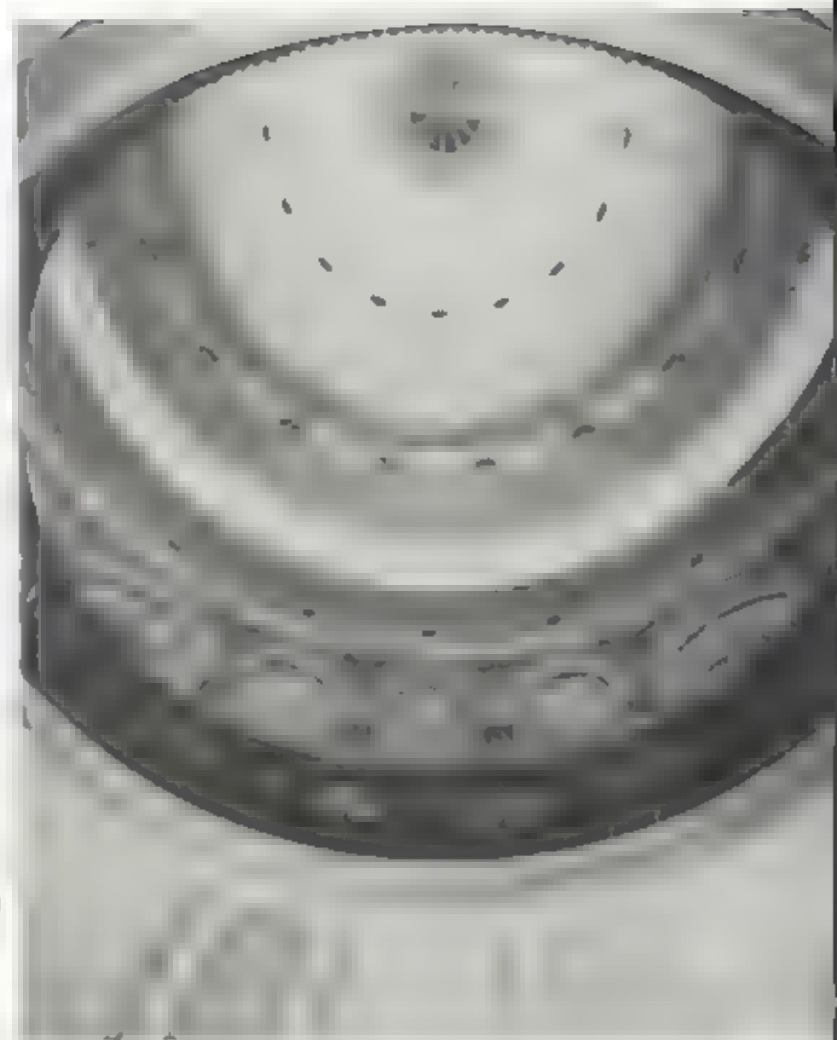


1. MAGNUM, P.I. (8)
2. GENERAL HOSPITAL
3. M\*A\*S\*H (1)
4. HILL STREET BLUES
5. FAME
6. DYNASTY (10)
7. DALLAS (2)
8. GREAT AMERICAN HERO
9. CODE RED
10. BOSOM BUDIES

1. JOURNEY (6)
2. ROLLING STONES
3. QUARTERFLASH
4. GO-GO'S
5. LOVERBOY
6. J. GEILS BAND
7. VAN HALEN (4)
8. PAT BENETAR
9. QUEEN
10. REO SPEEDWAGON (2)

1. BEER (1)
2. WINE (9)
3. DACQUIRI (4)
4. BACARDI (6)
5. JACK DANIELS (3)
6. KAHLUA
7. WATER (8)
8. GIN AND TONIC
9. MILK (5)
10. CHAMPAGNE (10)

1. A 1900 view of the Capitol photographed from the east end of capitol park 2. Rainbow hues fill the massive rotunda inside the capitol 3. This grouping of statues, framing the entrance to the capitol, includes elements of the California State Seal 4. An inside view of the restoration project 5. The beautiful dome is the focal point of the downtown area 6. Opulence and elegance surround the daily activities of California's Assembly members





The newly restored capitol gleams pure white against the blue sky of the Golden State. The massive dome and soaring Corinthian columns leave no doubt: This is the center of political power in the great state of California. A testament to age and grace as well as modern technology, the project took seven years and \$68 million to complete. It could be called the most complex and possibly the most extensive restoration involved in any single historic building in the nation.



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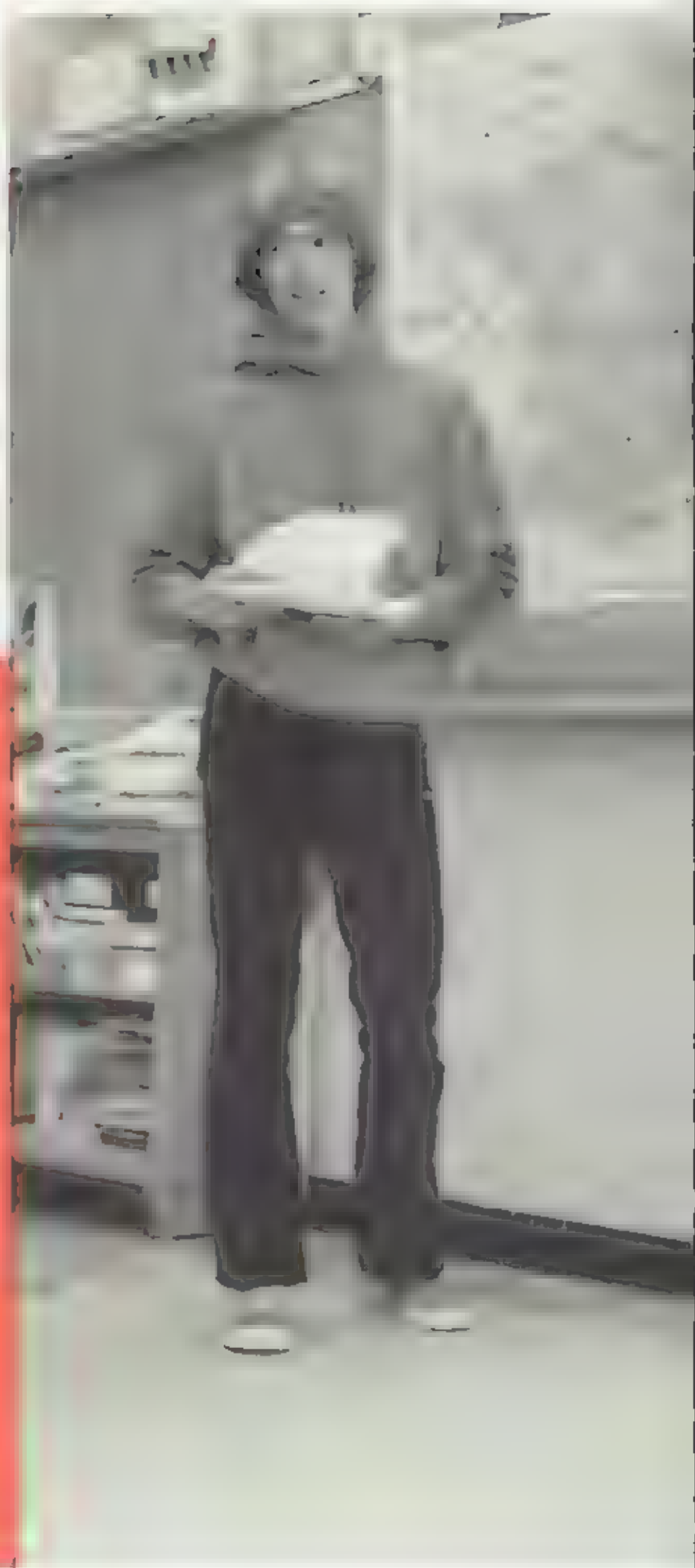


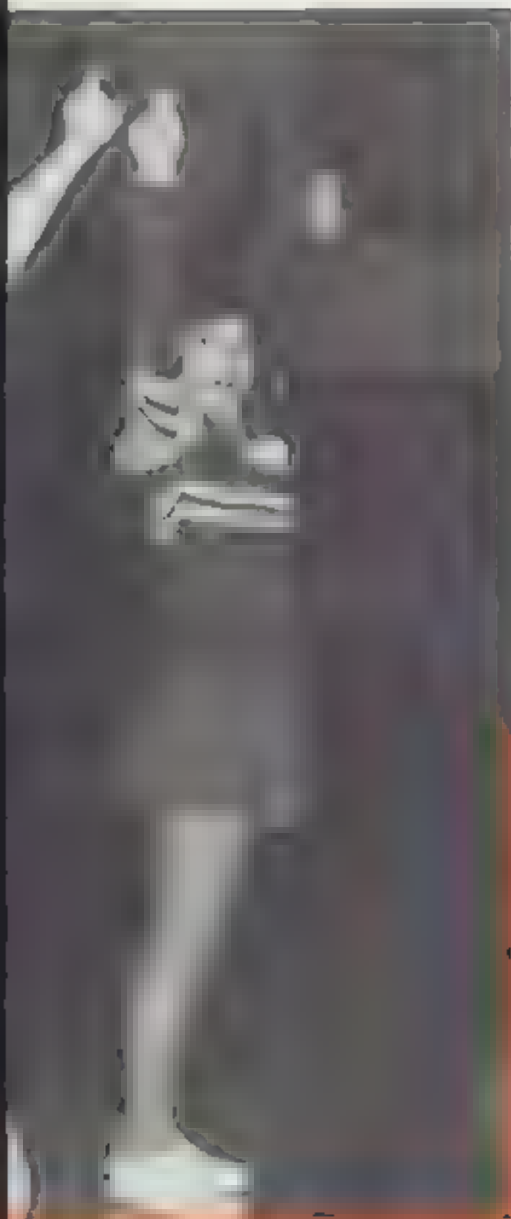
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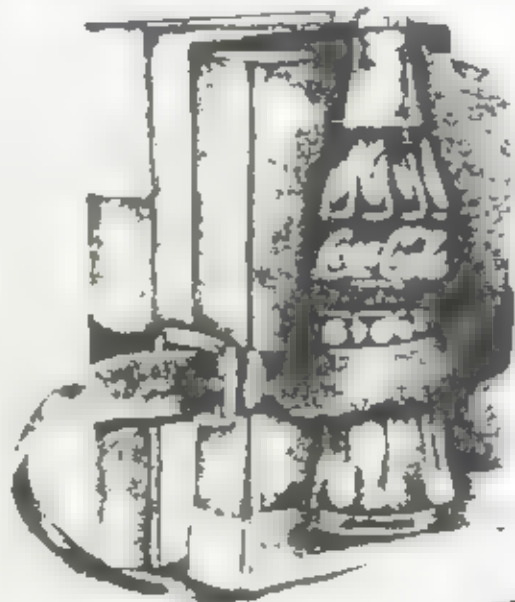




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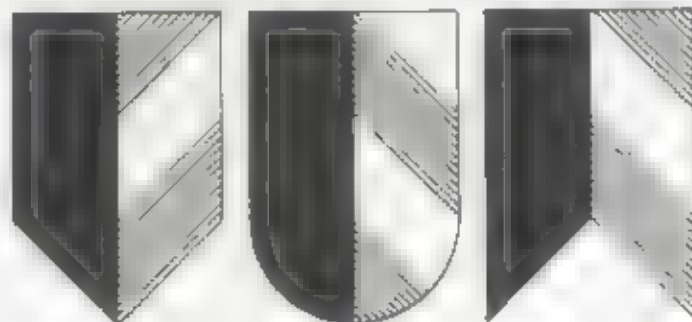
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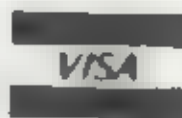


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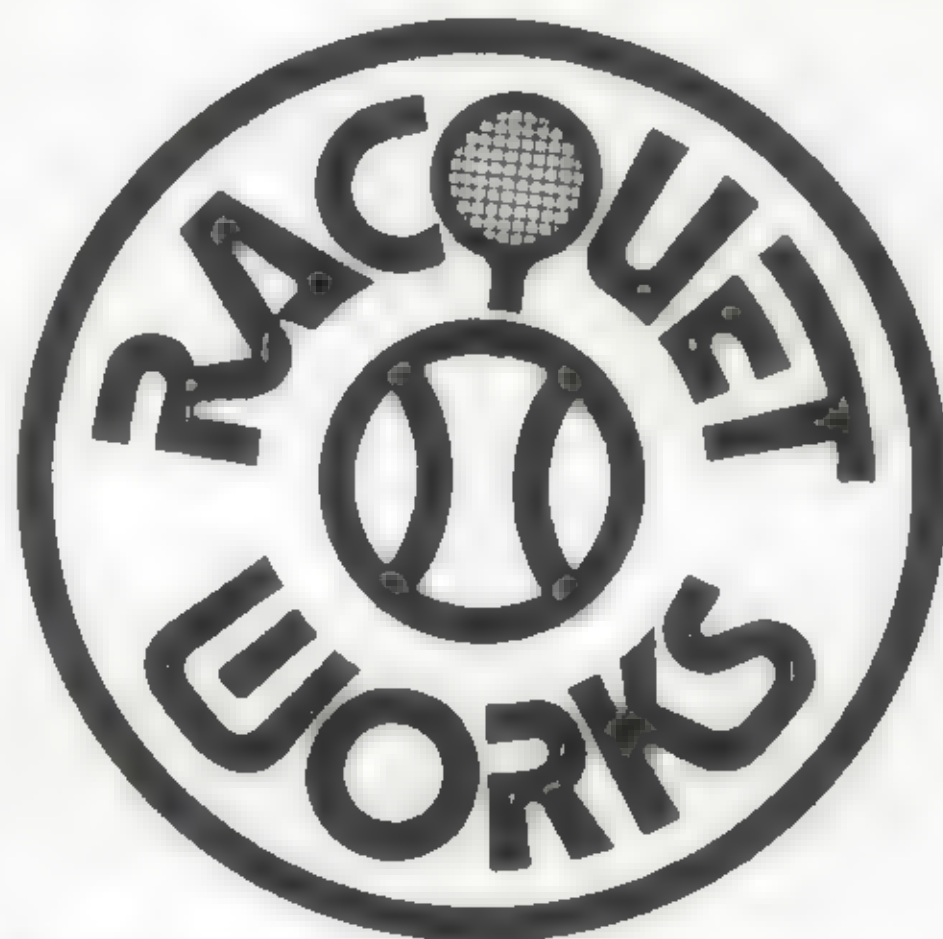
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**No gadgets, no baubles**  
The 240 D is engineered to

take the strains of high mileage and hard driving in stride.

The car's lack of shimmy and shake on ugly roads owes much to its rigid, welded steel fuselage—a unit body.



*...building is standard*

Its four-wheel disc brakes (with 456 sq. in. of swept area) could stop a vehicle many times its size and weight.

The 240 D is not shy of potholed roads, humpbacked roads, or twisty roads. Sold as it is in 90 countries—few blessed with superhighways—it could not afford to be.

Gadgets and baubles are absent. What could these add to efficiency? An electronic cruise control is provided, allowing you to hold a steady 55-mph—without fuel-wasting ups and downs.

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We must gather our senses,  
For our minds have now grown

*The End*



Marshall,  
to real kinda  
punk guy.  
I love your new  
hair cut. Also it  
fun meeting you

Marshall - are anatha  
you and I had fun  
skate to one sur  
huh? We had playin'  
in English ball. You  
games and much for  
me too sometimes. We  
had fun gettin'  
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Dear Marshall,  
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you at the beginning of our  
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the fun we've had over  
the past three years. (Especially  
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Mr. Zund's jokes (barely) and  
thorough sangre & song arguing  
over B.T. Washington. Well I tried  
year we got to see more of  
each other, and am glad! Going  
up to Jahol was a blast (especially  
the time it snowed! I whup  
Jen and I liked the \*CLASH\*  
more-cause them we'd go to  
the concert. Remember the time  
mike (that big fat cat) yelled  
at Russell to get out of the  
driveway? Oh well! Ya know -  
time has gone by so fast -  
it seems like we should  
still be freshmen - ya know? (its a terrible thing to  
say) But, so many times we sat on the lawn in  
a circle, and sometimes playing frisbee. But those  
days are gone. Hey - remember when I got you with  
the whup cream - and we bought a half-gallon of milk? and  
all those cookies? and fed the fish? well, im definitely  
going to have a party (more like parties) and your at  
the top of the list! Oh you ever want to go to jahol.....  
just let me know, but just dont bring any whup  
cream.

Jul Kel

Well I'll be the  
a sad. you have  
ad don't keep cool  
some ya shroom  
fair!  
to much.



p.s. - well go and get your name recd soon too!

Dearest Marshall -  
It's been great with you & Russell especially. I hope your summer was as fun as your hoping.  
Love & wishes  
Helen

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Who's book is this?  
I couldn't tell by the first page. Party about this summer so we can exchange drug stories next fall, but don't party so much that you can't remember what you did ok?  
So I shall see you next year or over the summer probably on the party scene.  
Bye love  
Maryetta

Hi Guy!  
MK

Marshall, I don't know how great it was, but I always met you! Before you talked to everyone I always wanted to did!  
Hi Gary  
are  
Juliet  
Lee  
Bantanttic

CJM

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